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Bear Memories

1958

Pharr-San Juan-Alamo H. S.

Ink  Spots

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Scribble  Squares

Bear Memories



Foreword

It has taken many hours, much thought, and a great deal of friendly argument to bring you the 1958 edition of Bear Memories.

We hope that we have succeeded in recording to your satisfaction a year that has been filled with interest and accomplishment, and one upon which you will look back with pleasure.

The Staff has enjoyed its efforts in preparing this book. It is our sincere hope that you will enjoy reading it and reliving in its pages friendships you have made and memories you cherish of your 1957-58 school year in PSJA High School.

THE STAFF

Janie Barber

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Miss Emma Martinez

As '57-'58 draws to a close forever,
We search among our midsts for one
Who's made our lives much better.

And no one could be more deserving of this honor than Miss Emma Martinez to whom we dedicate this, the 1958 edition of

BEAR MEMORIES

Working as class sponsor, play director, interscholastic league shorthand sponsor and cheerleader adviser, Miss "Marty" has worked without any thought of honor or special recognition for the success of PSJA and its students.

For nine years she has graced the halls of PSJA, dropping a cheerful word of encouragement and a happy smile to every student who passed along her way.

Although she is only one of the unsung heroines who have appeared in our lives from time to time, we feel Miss Martinez is a special one to us, and so to her, this is our way of saying, "Thanks for your help."

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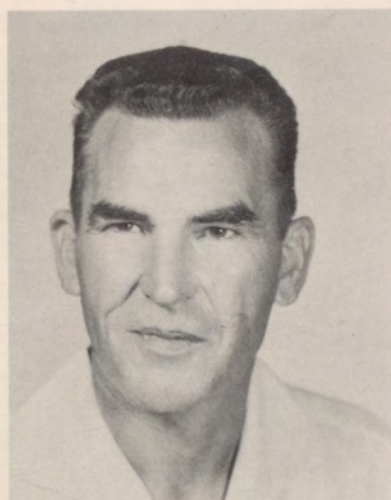
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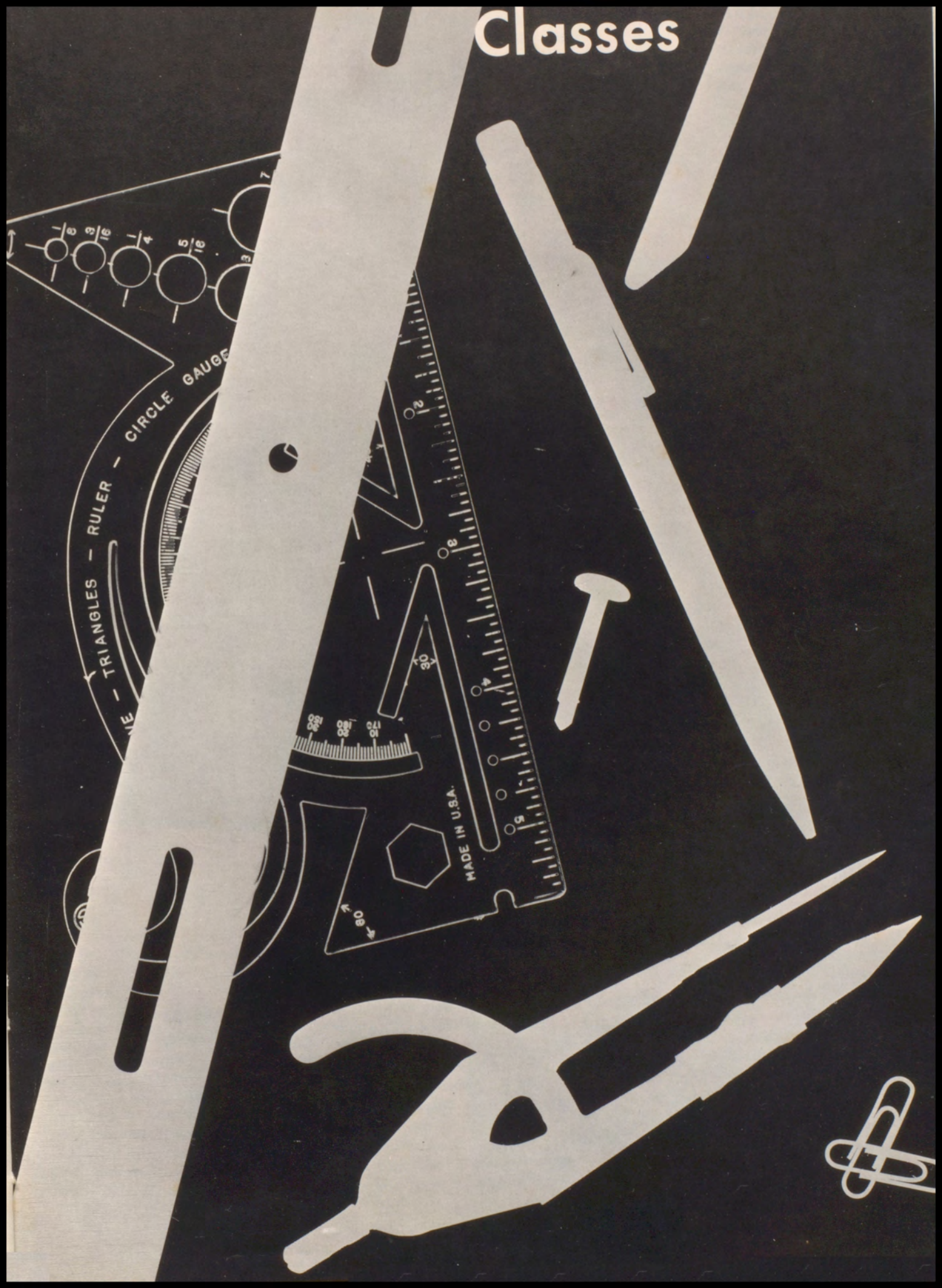
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Pan American



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B. S., Texas A & M
1 yr. on Master's
L. S. U.



Classes



Seniors



Florencio (Sonny) Paz - President
Diana Alaniz - Secretary Reynaldo Saenz - Vice President
Johnny Gross - Treasurer

Under the able leadership of the officers and with the help of many hard-working seniors, the 1958 Graduating Class has made a name for itself in its attitude, co-operation, and accomplishments.

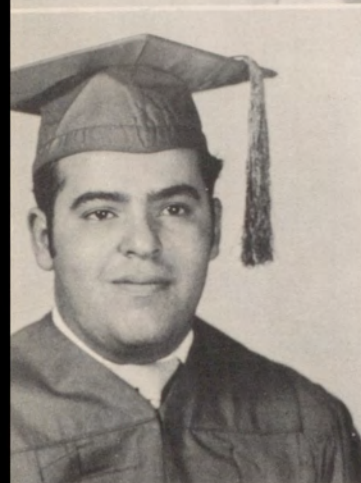
Homecoming and the Senior Play were two of the major chores of this group and both were handled efficiently and well to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Only one thing remains - and this one thing is the climax to twelve years of books and fun and friends. In cap and gown, the Seniors of 1958 will follow in the footsteps of other classes in years gone by as they march together for the last time as a class to receive the coveted diploma, not only a symbol of achievement, but also a milestone along life's path to mark the end of one grand experience and herald the beginning of another.



DIANA ALANIS
NHS '56-'58
2nd Vice-Pres.
'57-'58
Sec. '55-'56,
FTA
Pres. '57-'58
Jr. Favorite
Stud. Council '57-'58
FHA '54-'56
Sec. '54-'55
Vice Pres. '55-'56
Sr. Class Sec.

JOYCE ANDERSON
Y-Teens '52-'58
Bearettes '52-'55
Annual Staff
Rep. '52-'53
Girls Choir '55-'56
Tennis '56-'58
Ass't Cheerleader
'55-'56
Tennis Sec. '57-'58
Honey Bear '57-'58



RUBEN ARCAUTE

ROSALEE AUBREY

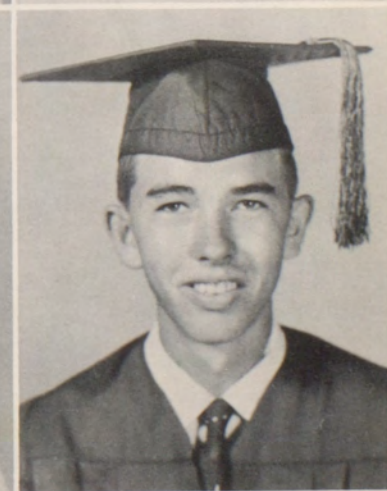
MINERVA BARRERA
Stud. Council '56-'57
Bearettes '56-'57
FTA '55-'56
FHA '54-'56

JANIE BENAVIDES
Bearettes '55-'57
Garden Club '55-'57
FHA '54-'57
Softball '54-'57
Badminton '56-'57
FTA '57-'58



BARBARA BROOKS
Y-Teens '53-'58
Band '53-'58
First Art.
Twirler '56-'58
Pep Band '57-'58
Band Council '57-'58
Band Vice Pres.
'57-'58
FHA '53-'54
'57-'58
FHA Unit 3 V.
Pres. '57-'58

FRED BUSCH
Band '54-'58
Swing Band '55-'58
Pep Band '54-'58
Quartermaster of
Band '57-'58
Line Serg. '57-'58
Slide Rule '56-'58
Number Sense '56-'57



AIDA CANO

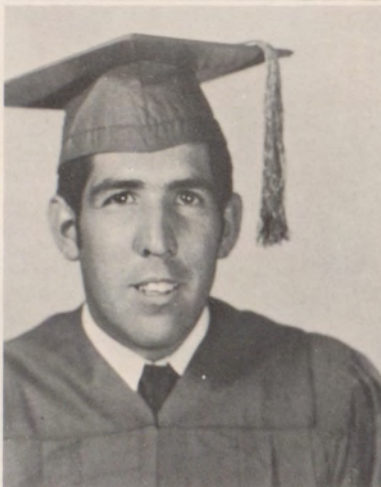
JOSE CANO



LIONEL CANTU

MARIO CANTU

Football '55-'58
Track '56-'58
Baseball '57-'58
Choir '57-'58
Football Capt. '57
All District '57



MINERVA CANTU

Sr. Band '54-'55
Pep Band '56-'58
H. E. '54-'55
Y-Teens '54-'55
F. T. A. '54-'55

ROBERT CARDNER

B Team Football
'55-'56



JOAN

CHRISTOFFEL

NHA '56-'58
Stud. Council '54-'58
Tennis '54-'58
Tennis Reporter
'57-'58
Bears Tale '57-'58
Circulation Mgr.
'57-'58
Y-Teens '54-'55

REYNALDO

CONTRERAS

Football '55-'57
Baseball '55-'58
Capt. '56
All Dist. '56-'57
Track '56-'58
T Club '55-'58
President '57-'58
Key Club '56-'58
Treasurer '57-'58
Jr. Play '57
Stud. Council. '57-'58



MURRIEL CRANFILL
 Band '54-'58
 Band Officer '57-'58
 Swing Band '56-'58
 Freshman Choir
 '54-'55
 Concert Choir '56-'58
 Girls Octet '56-'57

DOUGLAS CRON
 Band '54-'58
 Corp. '57-'58
 Pep Band '56-'58
 Number Sense '55-'56
 Slide Rule '57-'58
 NHS '56-'58
 NHS Treasurer
 '57-'58
 Bear's Tale '57-'58
 Business Mgr.
 '57-'58

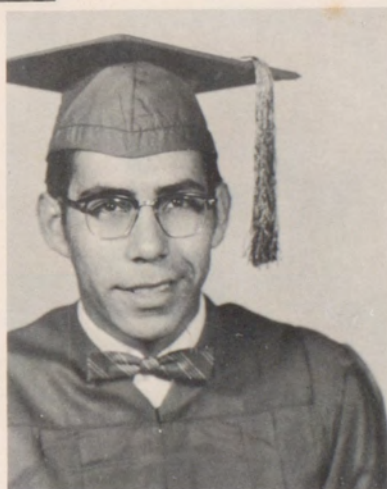


DEANNE
 DANNENBURG
 *Mercedes FHA
 Thespians
 Dramatic Club
 *P. S. J. A.
 Inter. League
 Spelling
 Library Club

CAMPBELL DE
 ROULAC

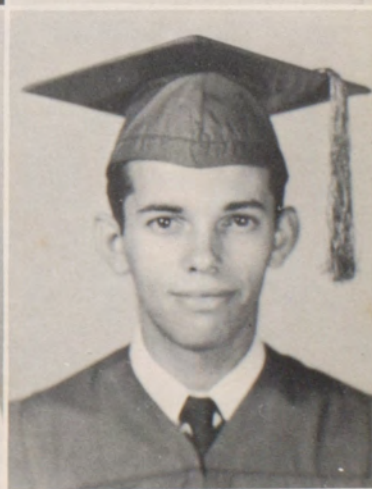
JUVENTINO
 ECHEVERRIA

FLORINE EGLY
 Bearettes '54-'58
 F. H. A. '54-'55
 Softball '56-'57



SHARON ENGLAND
 Band '53-'58
 Band Pres. '57-'58
 Y-Teens '53-'58
 Song Leader '57-'58
 Girls' State '57
 NHS '57-'58
 Stud. Counc. '55-'58
 Choir '54-'58
 Section Leader
 '56-'58

SAMUEL ESCOBAR

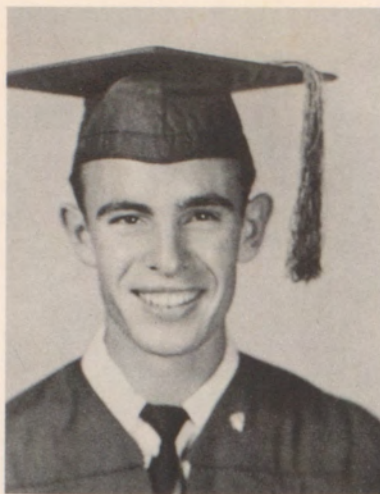


DAVID FINN

Tennis '54-'57
Captain '56-'57
Dist. Tennis
2nd Place Doubles
NHS
Vice-Pres. '57-'58
Slide Rule

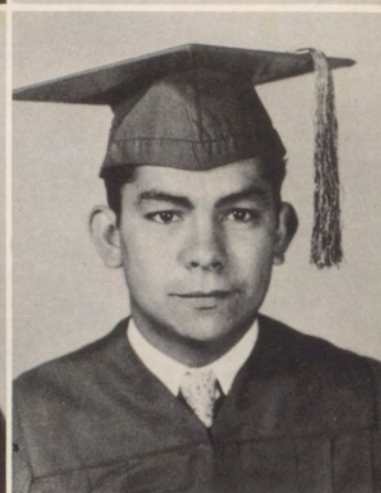
ALICIA GARCIA

Bearettes '56-'58
F. H. A '55-'58
Girls Softball '54-'58
Captain '57



ARMANDO GARCIA

RENE GARCIA



REYNALDO GARCIA

ROSARIO GARZA

F. H. A. '54-'55
F. T. A. '55-'56
Y-Teens '54-'55
Concert Choir
'55-'58



PATSY GEISEN

ARINDA GOMEZ

F. T. A. '54-'58
Reporter '56-'57
Vice Pres. '57-'58
NHS
Stud. Counc. '55-'56
Cheerleader '56-'58
ISL Typing '57



ELLA GOMEZ
Freshman Sec.
F.H.A. '54-'58
Unit Pres. '55-'56
Bearettes '55-'56
Girls Choir '57-'58
President '56-'58
Library Club '57-'58



ROSALINDA GOMEZ
Band '54-'58
Pep Band '56-'58
Band Council '57-'58
Stud. Council
'55-'57
Junior Sec. '56-'57
Baseball '54-'56
F.N.A. '54-'55
Y-Teens '54-'55
F.H.A. '54-'56
F.T.A. '56-'58



ANTONIO GONGORA



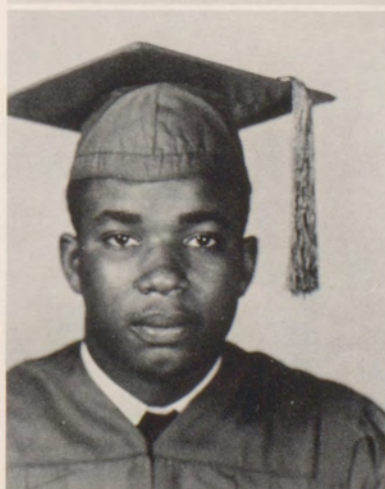
CHRISTINA GORENA
Jr. Garden Club
'55-'56
Bearettes '55-'56
Council '56-'57
Sr. Captain '57-'58
Jr. Play '57
F.T.A. '57-'58

BETTY GRAVES
Conc. Choir '55-'58
Sec.-Treas. '57-'58
Bearettes '55-'57
Lieut. '56-'57
Y-Teens '54-'57
Stud. Counc. '57-'58
Bear's Tale
Adv. Mgr. '57-'58

MARY RUTH GUION
Bearettes '54-'58
Lieut. '55-'56
Sergeant '56-'58
Jr. Capt. '56-'57
Major '57-'58
Council '56-'58
Y-Teens '54-'58
F.H.A. '54-'57
Unit Pres. '54-'55
Junior Play '57
Bear's Tale '57-'58
Exchange Ed.

JOHNNY HARPER
B Team Football '56
A Team Football '57

DELLIA HEANEY
F.T.A. '57-'58
F.H.A. '56-'58
Unit Pres. '56-'57
Library Club '54-'58
Pres. '57-'58
Dist. Pres. '57-'58
Tennis '55-'58
F.H.A. Song Leader
'57-'58

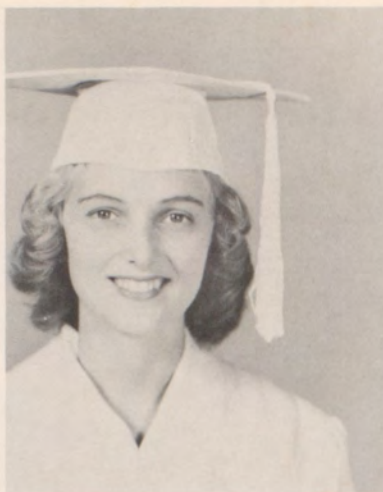


SHARON HENDRICK

Y-Teens '53-'58
 Jr. Vice Pres.
 President '57-'58
 Band '53-'58
 Council '57-'58
 Twirler '56-'58
 Secretary '57-'58
 Pep Band '56-'58
 Swing Band '56-'58
 F.H.A. '53-'58
 Junior Play '57
 Stud. Council '57-'58

BERTA HERNANDEZ

H. E. '54-'56
 Bearettes '55-'58
 Sergeant '57-'58
 F. T. A. '56-'58

**DORA HERNANDEZ**

Bearettes '55-'56
 F.H.A. '54-'56
 F. T. A. '57-'58

JOE HESS

Concert Choir
 '54-'58
 Choir President
 '57-'58
 Sec. Leader '57-'58
 Key Club '57-'58
 Stud. Council '57-'58

**BEATRICE HORN**

Tennis '55-'57
 Girls Choir '57-'58
 F.H.A. '54-'57
 Y-Teens '54-'55
 Library '55-'56

DONNA KELLOGG

Bearettes '54-'58
 Twirler '55-'56
 Drum Major '56-'58
 Council '56-'58
 F.H.A. '54-'56
 Y-Teens '54-'58
 Parliamentarian
 '57-'58
 Stud. Council '57-'58
 Cor. Sec. '57-'58
 Junior Play '57
 Alt. Girls' State
 '56-'57

**ALLAN KLUNA**

Stud. Council '54-'55
 F.F.A. '54-'56
 Dist. Treas. '55-'56
 B Team '54-'56
 A Team '56-'57
 B Team Basketball
 '53-'56
 A Team Basketball

BELIA LOPEZ

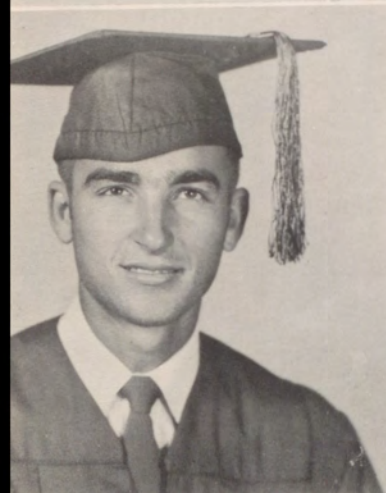
F.H.A. '54-'55
 F. T. A. '56-'57
 F.H.A. Unit Pres.
 '55-'56
 Council Member
 Garden Club



YSIDORA MARTINEZ



BONNIE McBEE



RONNIE McCLURE

Football '54-'58
Track '54-'58
Slide Rule '57-'58
Stud. Council '57-'58
Key Club '57-'58
Junior Play '57
Basketball Mgr.
'56-'57

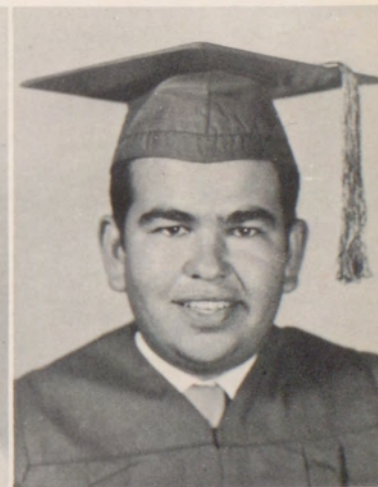


CLARENCE MILLER

Tennis '54-'56
D. E. '56-'58

RAQUEL MOLINA

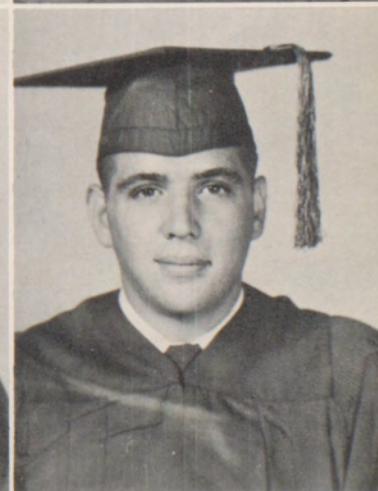
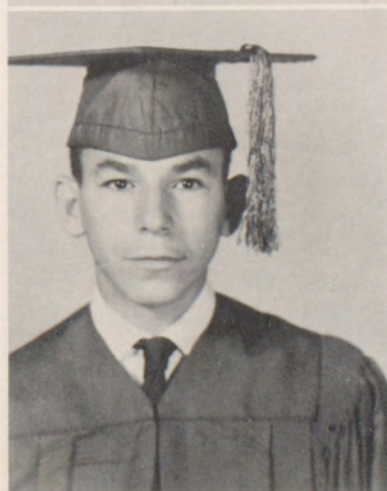
ELIAS MUNOZ



ROBERT NAVARRO

RONALD ODELL

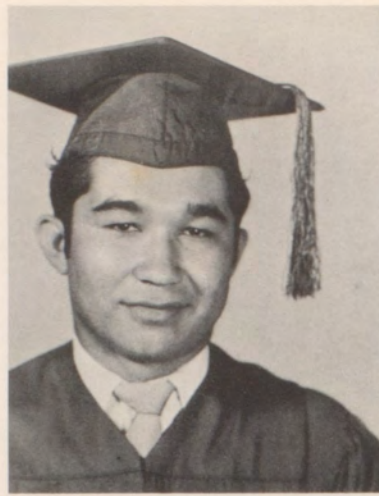
F. F. A. '54-'55
Band '55-'58
Football '56-'57
Track '56-'57
Swing Band '57-'58



MANUEL OLIVAREZ

GRIFF O'NEIL

Band '54-'58
 Feature Twirler
 '54-'56
 Drum Major '56-'58
 Swing Band '54-'58
 Stud. Council '54-'58
 Secretary '56-'57
 President '57-'58
 Natl. Honor Society
 Key Club '56-'58
 Secretary '57-'58
 Jr. Class Treas.
 Junior Play

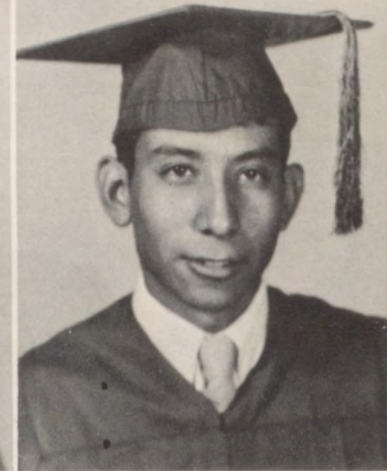
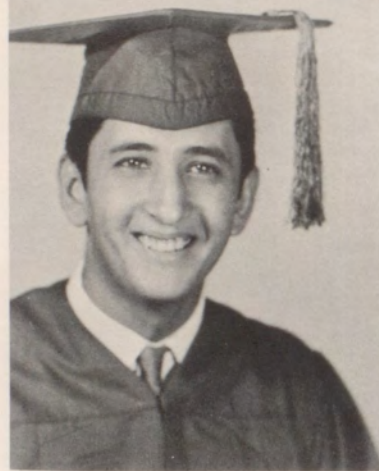


FIDEL PARAS

B Football '54
 A Football '55-'57
 Baseball '55-'58
 Track '55
 T Club '56-'58

FLORENCIO PAZ

Baseball '54-'58
 All-Dist. '56-'57
 Basketball '54-'58
 Football '54-'58
 Junior Vice-Pres.
 '56-'57
 Senior President
 '57-'58
 Key Club '56-'57
 President '57-'58
 T Club '54-'58
 Sgt. at Arms '57-'58
 Junior Play '56-'57



JACOB PENA

MERCEDES PENA

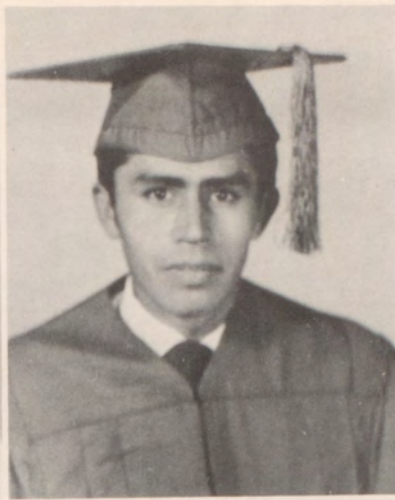
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 F.T.A. '56-'58



LEONILA PEREZ

YVONNE

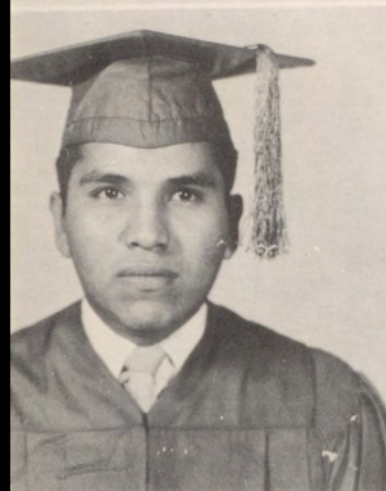
PFOTENHAUER
 Tennis '54-'56
 President '56-'57
 District Winner
 '56-'57
 F.H.A. '54-'57
 Senior Council
 '56-'57
 F.H.A. '54-'55
 Y-Teens '54-'56
 D.E. '57-'58
 Junior Play '56-'57



OLIVE POSEY

Band '54-'58
 Cheerleader '56-'58
 Freshman Favorite
 '54-'55
 Y-Teens '54-'58
 Soph. Vice-Pres.
 '55-'56
 Historian '57-'58
 Annual Repr.
 '57-'58
 Junior Play Chairman
 '56-'57

HOMER QUIROZ



JUAN QUINTERO

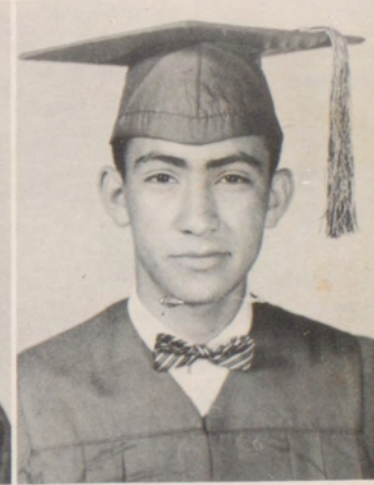
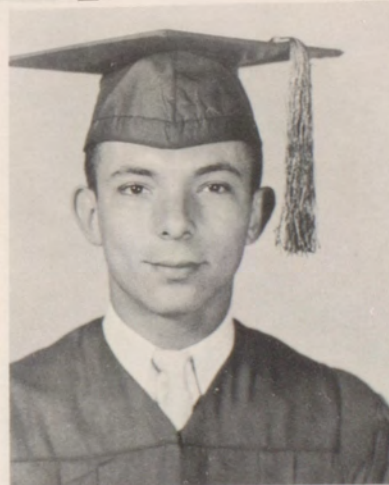
ROSARIO RENTERIA

Y-Teens '54-'55
 F. T. A. '54-'58
 Bearettes '55-'57
 Garden Club '54-'57
 F. H. A. '54-'58

JOE RESENDEZ

B Baseball '54-'56
 A Baseball '57-'58
 Slide Rule '55-'58
 Number Sense '55-'57
 Concert Choir '57-'58
 T Club '57-'58

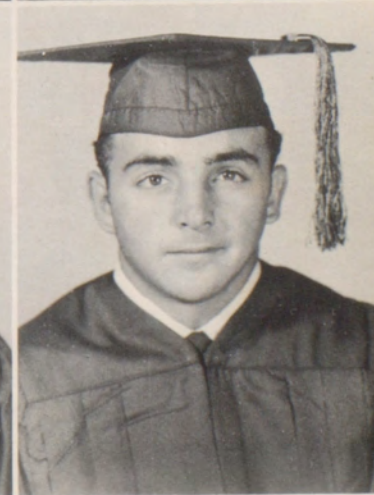
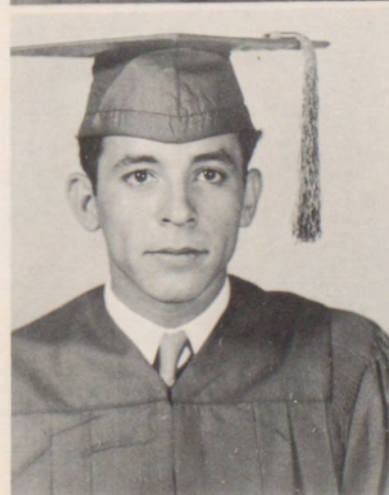
ROBERT REYNA



ROSENDO ROBLES

RODNEY ROBIE

Football '54-'58
 Basketball '54-'58
 T Club '54-'58
 T Club Vice-Pres.
 '57-'58



ROMEO ROBLES

DONALD RINKS

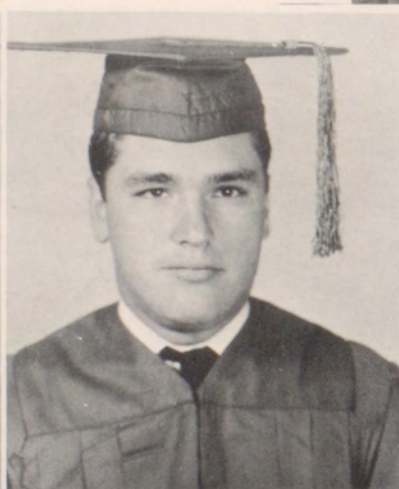
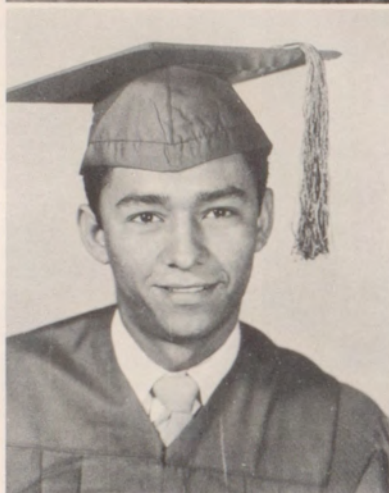


FELIX ROCHA

ORALIA RODRIGUEZ

F. H. A. '54-'57

F. T. A. '57-'58



REYNALDO SAENZ

Boys' State '57

N. H. S. '56-'58

F. T. A. '57-'58

Mr. F. T. A.

Key Club

Number Sense

'54-'58

President '55-'58

Slide Rule '53-'58

Vice-Pres. '55-'56

Soph. Class Pres.

Senior Class

Vice-Pres.

MANUEL SALINAS



MARGARITA SANCHEZ

H. E. '54-'57

Girls Choir '57-'58

BRENDA SCHULTZE

Band '54-'58

Twirler '56-'58

Treas. '57-'58

Swing Band '56-'58

Pep Band '54-'56

Band Council '57-'58

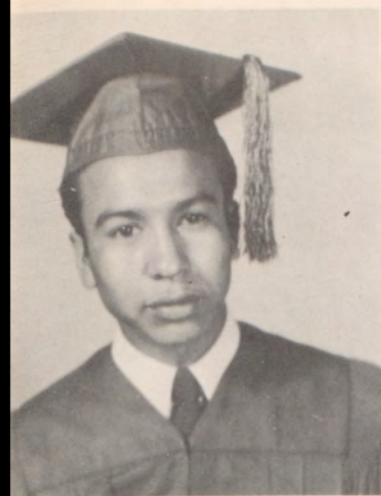
Y-Teens '54-'58

Program Chairman

Junior Play '56-'57

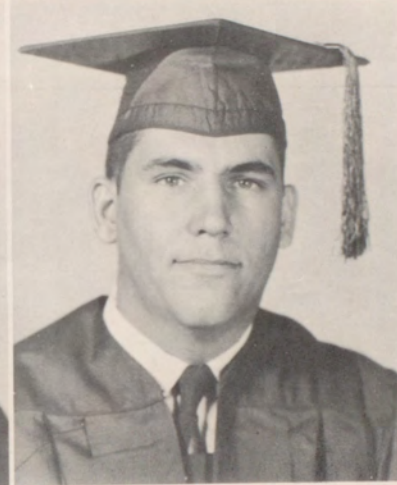
Stud. Director

NHS '57-'58



RUBEN SIERRA

ARMANDO SLOSS
B Team '54-'57
Captain '56-'57
Speech I '55-'56
Science Club '55-'56
Stud. Council '54-'57

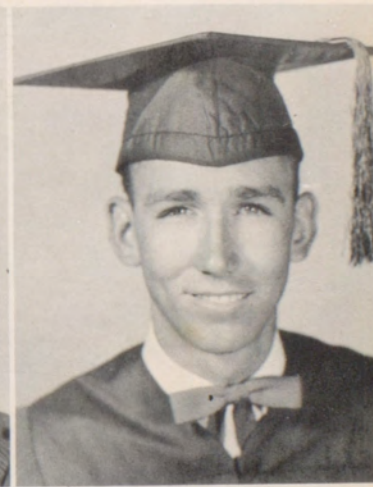
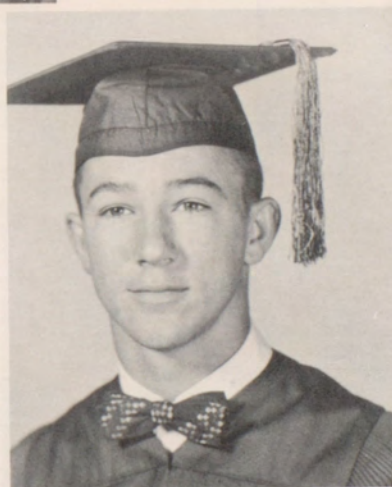


CHARLES SPENCE
Band '54-'58
Pep Band '56-'58
Swing Band '56-'58
Line Sgt. '57-'58

ROBERT SPENCER

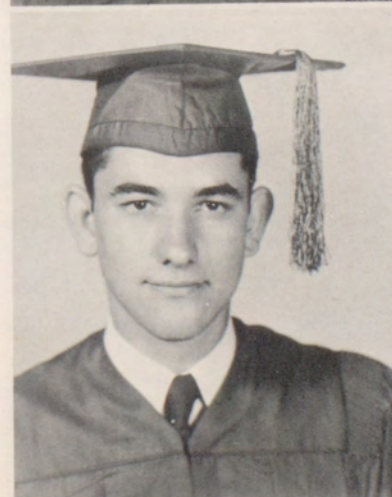
DARRELL STONER

KENNETH THARP
D. E. President
'57-'58
Tennis '54-'57
Manager '57-'58
Slide Rule '57-'58
Number Sense '57-'58



ANGEL TREVINO

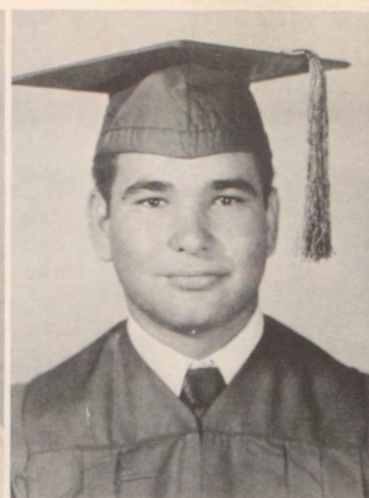
YOLANDA VILLAGOMEZ



ANN WHITE

Bears' Tale Editor
 '56-'58
 State ISL Journal-
 ism '56-'57
 Girls' State '57
 Bearettes '54-'57
 Achievement Award
 '55-'57
 NHS '56-'58
 Secretary '56-'58
 Stud. Council
 '57-'58

RAUL YZAGUIRRE

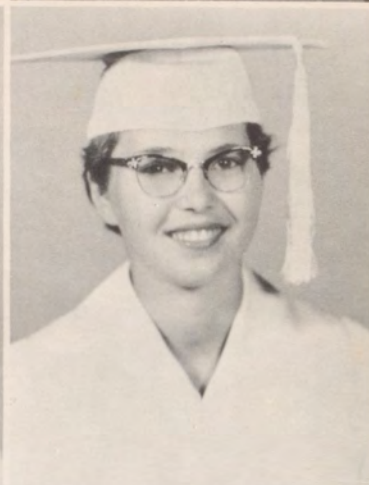


OLIVIA ZUNIGA

Girls Choir '54-'55
 Concert Choir
 '55-'58
 F.H.A. '55-'58
 F.T.A. '54-'58

LAURA WINCHESTER

Bearettes '54-'56
 Girls Choir '55
 Concert Choir '56-'58



CAROL BEASLEY

Y-Teens '52-'58
 Treas. '57-'58
 Bearettes '52-'55
 Twirler '54-'55
 Annual Staff Repr.
 '55-'56
 Girls Choir '55-'56
 Tennis '56-'58
 F.H.A. '52-'55
 F.F.A. Sweetheart
 '55-'58
 Homecoming Queen
 Cand. '57-'58

TROY CRANE

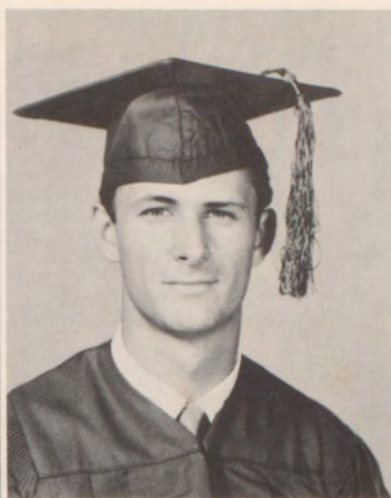


BEATRIZ ELIZONDO

F.H.A. '54-'57
 F.M.A. '56-'57
 Tennis '55-'57
 F.T.A. '56-'58
 Reporter '57-'58
 Conc. Choir '57-'58

JERRY FARRAR

Bearettes '54-'58
 Council '57-'58
 Sergeant '57-'58
 Lieutenant '56-'57
 Alt. Girls' State
 '56-'57
 Junior Play '56-'57
 F.H.A. '54-'55
 Bear's Tale '57-'58
 Y-Teens '54-'58



ROSE MARIE
GONZALES
F. T. A. '56-'58
Tennis '56-'57
D. E. '57-'58

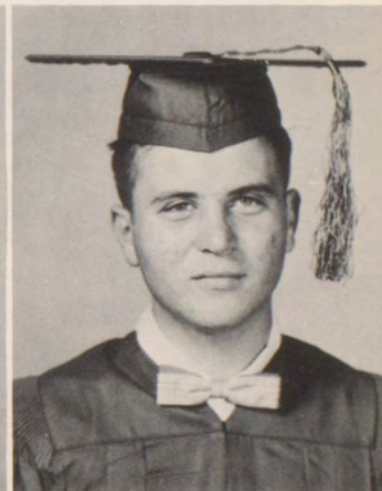
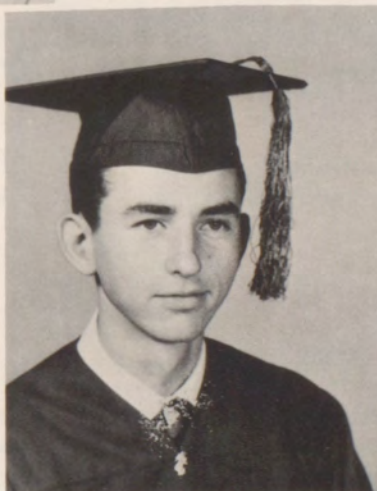
JOHNNY GROSS
Senior Class
Treas. '57-'58
Concert Choir '55-'58
President '57-'58
Boys Quartet '56-'58
Annual Repr. '56-'58
Bear's Tale '56-'58
Stud. Council '54-'55
Junior Play '57



MARIENELA GARCIA MARIA ELENA HERRERA
Y-Teens '54-'55
F. H. A. '54-'55
F. T. A. '54-'55
F. H. A. II '55-'56
Bearettes '55-'57
F. H. A. III
Unit Vice-Pres.
'54-'55
Garden Club '54-'55

DUDLEY LYNCH
Basketball '53-'58
Letterman '56-'58
Bear's Tale '56-'58
Editor '57-'58
NHS '56-'58
President '57-'58
Stud. Council '57-'58
Ready Writing
'56-'57
Boys' State Alt.
'56-'57

REX REICHERT
Senior Band '54-'57
Swing Band '56-'57
Pep Band '56-'57
Slide Rule '56-'58
Number Sense '56-'58
Vice Pres. '57-'58
NHS '56-'58



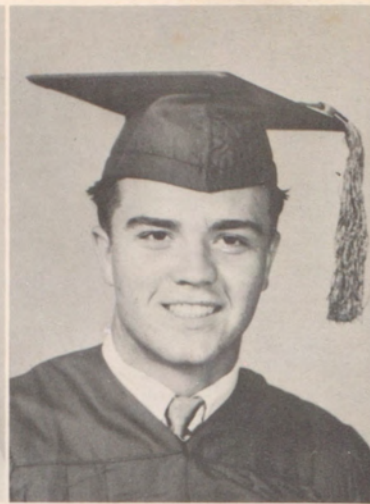
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Girls Choir '56-'57
Concert Choir
'57-'58
F. T. A. '57-'58

JUDY SEITZ
Stud. Council Vice-
Pres. '57-'58
Y-Teens Sec. '57-'58
Head Band Twirler
'56-'58
Soph. Favorite
'55-'56
Soph. Class Sec.
Girls' State '56-'57
NHS '57-'58
Annual Staff Repr.
Homecoming Queen
Cand. '57-'58



RAQUEL SILVA

TOMMY WALKER



CARMEN MUNOZ

F.H.A. '54-'55

Girls' Choir

'54-'55

Concert Choir

'55-'56

D.E. '56-'57

Vice-Pres.

'57-'58

VIRGIL BEASLEY

Boys' State

'56-'57*

Beta Club

'57-'58*

Library Club

'57-'58*

Chemistry Club*

Band '55-'58*

Annual Staff

Asst. Bus. Mgr.

Newspaper*

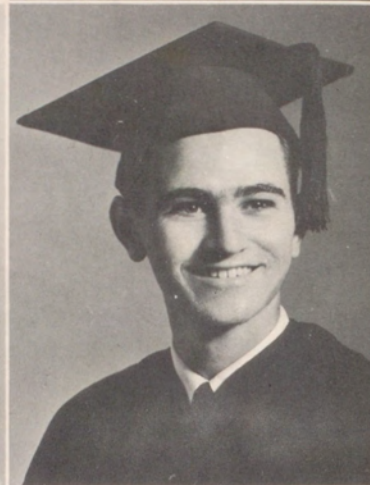
Junior Play*

Basketball*

Softball*

Swing Band

*Transfer



"Toward the unknown." (Graduation)

"Bigger than life." (All my F's)

"Somebody up there likes me." (I got straight A's)

"It's written all over your face." (Go wash)

Juniors



Robert Laymon, President; Gumeriendo Zuniga, Vice-President
Graciela Villarreal, Treasurer; Bobby Henderson, Secretary.

The Junior year is really the first big year in high school as far as the class as a whole is concerned. As freshmen and sophomores, they were primarily concerned with adjusting themselves to the new and different atmosphere that surrounded them.

Now as full-fledged Juniors, they suddenly find themselves face to face with the gigantic responsibility of producing the Belle and Beau Dance and the Junior-Senior Prom.

During football games they can be found hard at work selling cokes, peanuts, hot dogs - anything that will add another copper to the treasury. Then, when they have the capital to work with, they begin the job of planning, re-planning, building and tearing down - all the endless details that go in to trying to put on a bigger and better Prom than ever before.

It's a long, hard year, but now they can look back upon their activities and accept a much-deserved "Well done."



ANGIE ARANDA
ERINEO ARANDA
ROY ATTWOOD

SANDRA AVERY
LUIS AVILA
RAUL AYALA



JANIE BARBER
GARY BARBER
GENE BARNES

JESSE BRAWNER
JUAN BROWN
TOMMY BROWNING



DON BUSH
LEONILA CANTU
ORALIA CANTU

ROSITA CASTELLANOS

MARIA CHAVEZ

JOAN CHRISTENSEN



MARGARET CLIFTON

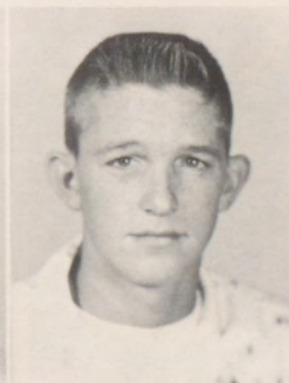
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ARALDO de LEON

JACINTA de LEON

SHARON DENBO

PEGGY DONEIS



MICKEY DOYLE

JACKIE DRAKE

FREDDIE EDGEMON

MARY LOUISE ENGERT

ROGER EULER

PHIL FARRIS





SANDRA FIELDS

MARY INEZ FLORES

ALETHA FOSTER

AUSENCIA GARZA

SAMMY GIUOCO

GILBERT GOMEZ



ELIAS GONZALES

MARIA CARMEN
GONZALES

PAUL GRITTEN

CAROL GUINN

WILLIE HEIN

BETTY HICKMAN



PAT HIESERMANN

BOBBY HENDERSON

LEXI JOHNSON

ROBERT LAYMON

AGAPITO LEAL

ROEL LIZCANO



MARY HELEN LOPEZ

EARL MARTIN

YOLANDA MARTINEZ

LINDA MOODY

JUDY MORIN

JOHNNY NEAL



NEWLENE ODELL

TED OROSCO

ROJELIO ORTEGA

IRMA PALACIOS

MARIA PALACIOS

DONNIE POWELL





JERRY PRICE

NELL PRINE

ISAURO PRUNEDA

GRACIE RAMIREZ

YOLANDA RAMIREZ

LINDA ROACH



CARLOS ROBLES

FELIPA RODRIGUEZ

JUANITA ROJAS

MARY ROMERO

LARRY ROSE

IRMA RUIZ



LESTER RYDL

OMELIA SALINAS

LOIS SAVELL

JIMMY SOUTHERLAND
LYNETTE STAUFFER
WALLACE STERNBERG



MARIA TANGUMA
CAROL THORMAEHLEN
MARILYN TIPPITT

TOMMY TISDALE
JUANITA URREA
JIM VAN DRESAR



MARIA VECCHIO
OSCAR VILLARREAL
SHIRLEY WALTHALL

DAN WOOD
JACK WRIGHT
GUMERCINDO ZUNIGA





ERASMO RIVERA

LARRY WITTENBURG

JACK WOOD

JERRY BEAMSLEY

BOBBY BENTLEY

ARCELA CASARES



SALVADOR CAVAZOS

SHIRLEY DAVIS

OLIVIA de la FUENTE

MANUEL de LEON

GUY DEUEL

RODRIGO FLORES



OLIVIA FONSECA

ROBERT GARCIA

ENRIQUE GARZA

GILBERT GOMEZ

GRACIE GOMEZ

PAULO GONZALEZ



DALE GREENE

CARLOS HINOJOSA

ANITA HORN

MADELON KLINGER

LAVONNE LYNCH

DENNIS McCORMICK



SYLVIA MENTZ

GILBERT MUSQUIZ

DAVID NASH

JUAN SALAZAR

BARBARA SHAWN

EARL SHINPAUGH





JILL SNYDER

JERRI STAMPS

MICKEY STEIB

ORVILLE TYSDAL

GRACIELA VILLARREAL

SCOTT WALLACE



GENIEVA WARD

JOHNNY WICKLIFFE

JANE WOOD



CATHERINE YOUNG

"He gives me a pain." (window pane.)

"You're a card." (flat on both sides)

"I'm nervous." (Glad to meet you.)

"What'cha doing?" (mildewing)



Sophomores



Allie Webb-Treasurer
Tommy McClure-Vice President Charles Curtis-President
Elva Isaguirre-Secretary

Returning to enjoy the fact that they were no longer Freshmen, the Sophomores of 1957-58 entered PSJA with much more confidence than they possessed the year before.

Their enjoyment was short-lived, however, as they soon settled down to a hard year's work with their interest divided accordingly between geometry, biology, world history and English II.

Though their responsibilities as a class were few, they, nevertheless, served an important purpose as they prepared to take over the duties which will face them as next year's Juniors.

Aurelio Aleman
Dorothy Anderson
David Archibald
Lauro Avila



Virginia Baez
John Baker
Irma Baldazo
Hector Barrera



Eugene Belkey
Janne Benson
Carol Bessire
JoJo Blackwell



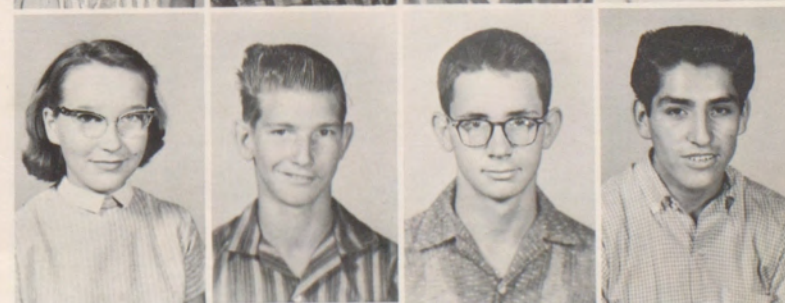
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Donna Bolds
Dennis Bond
Darlene Bone

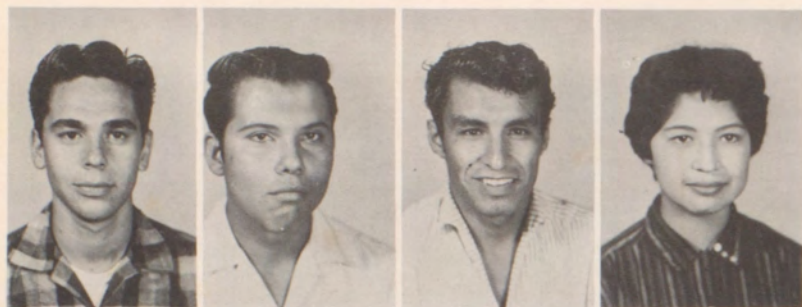


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Gerry Brown
Jerry Lee Bryan
Sandra Burris



Patsy Bush
Doyle Bryant
Lynn Cady
Tim Calvillo





Baldemar Cantu
Ricardo Cantu
Santiago Cantu
Odilia Canche



Marsha Card
Leroy Carkenord
Anna M. Castillo
Rosario Castillo



Elva Cavazos
Arnoldo Cavazos
Maria Elena Cavazos
Jose Cavazos



Harriet Chaney
James Chappell
Judy Christensen
Carol Christoffel



Robert Clifton
Sharon Coil
Anna Ruth Collard
Roy Collins



Albert Contreras
Ruffin Cooper, Jr.
Mike Comerford
Arcelia Contreras

Becky Cowgill
 Suzanne Cramer
 Kay Creel
 Fay Beth Cron



Ann Crosby
 Charles Curtis
 Emmet Dunn
 Joyce Dannenburg



Charles Danz
 Charles Davis
 Nancy Derfus
 Butch Derr



Maria Egla Diaz
 Thelma DeLeon
 Rudy de Leon
 Larry Doffing



Maria de los Santos
 Bobbie Doolittle
 Irma Dominguez
 Jeff Drake



Nick Dynis
 Larry Eakins
 Larry Eddy
 Elva Elizondo





Donnie Eller
Donna Emrick
Florence Erdsteen
Ernesto Esparza



Margarito Esparza
Trinidad Escobedo
Kenneth Everhard
Luciano Farias



Maria Flores
Camila Flores
Barbara Fowler
Adelina Fuentes



Rebecca Galicia
Alfredo Garcia
Gerardo Garcia
Lydia Garcia



Oralia Garcia
Rojelio Garcia
Sara Garcia
Tommy Garrett



Elido Garza
Eugenia Garza
Rene Garza
Robert Garza

Roy Garza
Noe Garza
Garland Gaylor
Phillip Geery



George Geisen
Maria Gomez
Esteban Gonzales
Joe Gonzalez



Senaida Gonzalez
Viola Gonzalez
Joe Gordon
Irma Gorena



Barbara Graham
John Paul Gray
Abel Guajardo
Gary Guenther



Beatriz Gutierrez
Gloria Gutierrez
Ann Haliburton
Wanda Hamersley



Philip Haven
Shirley Helland
Kurt Helm
Alicia Hernandez





Oscar Hernandez
Bobby Hetrick
Dalton Hobbs
Roy Hopkins



Charlie Horn
Jose Ibanez
Elva Izaguirre
Cleve Jones



Felton Josey
Barbara Keller
Larry Kellogg
Valerie Knapp



Magdalena Kuby
Ruben Lara
Richard Laymon
Joe Leal



Eulalio Lopez
Guadalupe Lopez
Maria Luna
Barbara Marr



Erasmo Martinez
Juanita Martinez
Luis Martinez
Minerva Martinez

Raul Martinez
 Maria Mata
 Maureen McBride
 Tommy McClure



G'Anne McCullough
 Edith McCormick
 John McMillin
 Basia Medvecky



Linda Mercer
 Forrest Meisetschlaeger
 Earl Millen
 Marilyn Miller



James Morin
 Pat Morley
 Georgie Morris
 Enrique Mora



Gilbert Munoz
 Margarita Munoz
 Joycie Myers
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Roy Netz
 Jeanette Neubauer
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Emma Ortega
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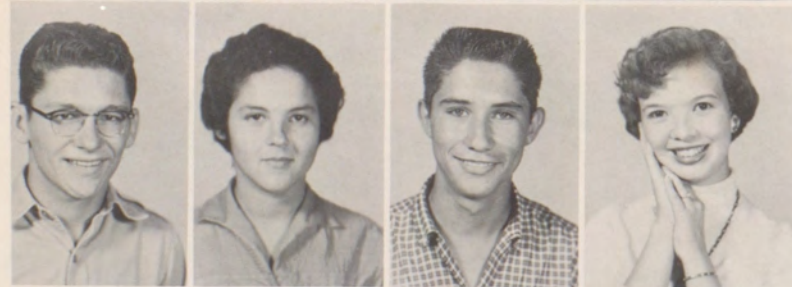
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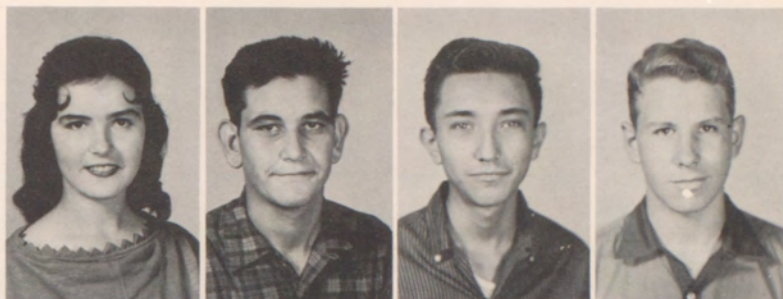


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Hugo Robles
Wanda Lea Rogers



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Zaragosa Salinas
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Charles Sargent



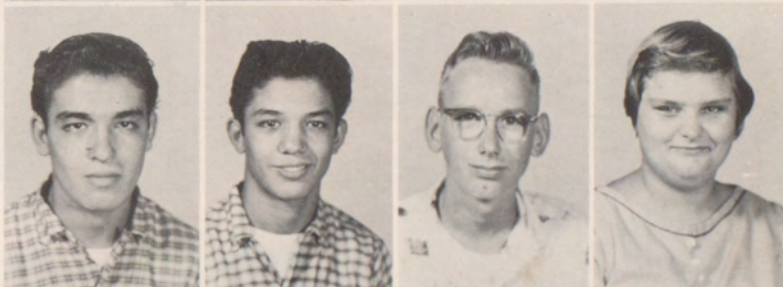
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David Sigle
Eldon Sims



Concepcion Sloss
Kathy Slattery
Jimmy Sullivan
Kiki Trevino



Raul Trevino
Roel Trevino
Glen Tharp
Betty Thompson



Ronnye Toney
Minerva Urrea
Rosario Vargas
Reyes Vega



Reynaldo Vela
Sandra Vereker
Alfredo Villagomez
Ginger Walker





Virginia Walker
Allie Webb
Emmett Wells
Frances West



Shirley Wilson
Jackie Worley
Lydia Ybanez
Norma Zuniga



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Maria Yzaguirre
Domingo Zamarippa
Beverly Zeman



Lucia Zuniga
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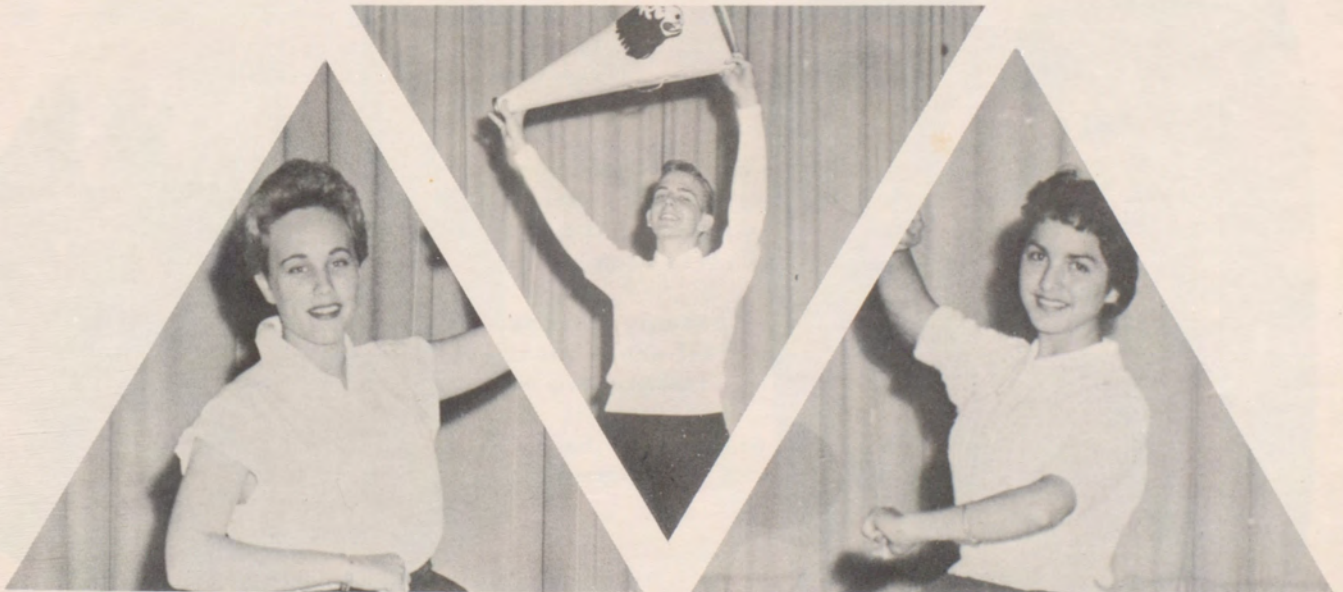
"A chip off the old block." (a splinter)

"VIVA ZAPATA!" (Long live the shoes!)

"You made me love you." (Hypnotism!)

"I'll see you in my dreams." (nightmares)

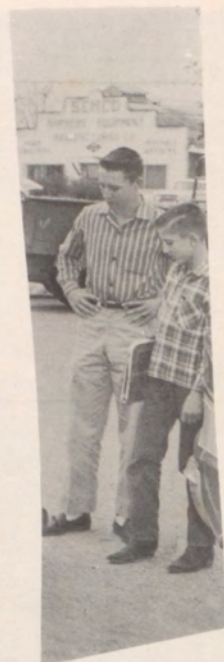
Assistant Cheerleaders



G'Anne McCullough

Joe Gordon

Rosie Vargas



Freshmen



Steve Genenwein - Vice President
Beatriz Ramirez - Secretary

Gloria Yandell - President
Joan Wright - Treasurer

Its a long, hard jump, as any freshman can testify, from the lowly reaches of grade school to the magnificent plane of upper learning. But the bud of hope in each child's mind suddenly blossoms out into reality as they find themselves at last upon the threshold of life far along the road to maturity.

And so it was to each freshman as he entered the frightening halls of PSJA. However, he was soon to learn that many of the fears which he had collected through the years were just the results of an overproductive imagination.

In fact, as the year progressed, he came to realize that it was not a horrible experience at all, but just another extremely interesting phase of life's ever-progressing experiment.



Melba Aguirre
Antonio Alaniz
Tomas Alonzo
Barbara Anderson

Joyce Arnold
Julian Avendano
Martha Baker
Robert Balli
Ciro Barboza



Ruben Barrera
Billy Bates
Bernard Beamsley
Gerald Beasley
Beatriz Benavides

Roy Benavides
Marvin Black
Mary Lou Blackwell
Tommy Boecker
Jackie Bollon



Rafael Bran
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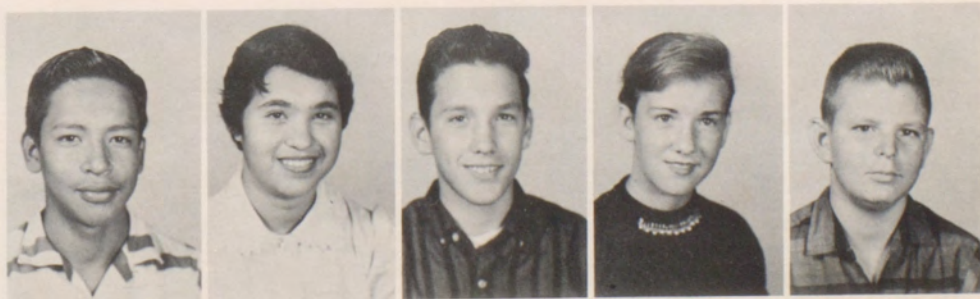
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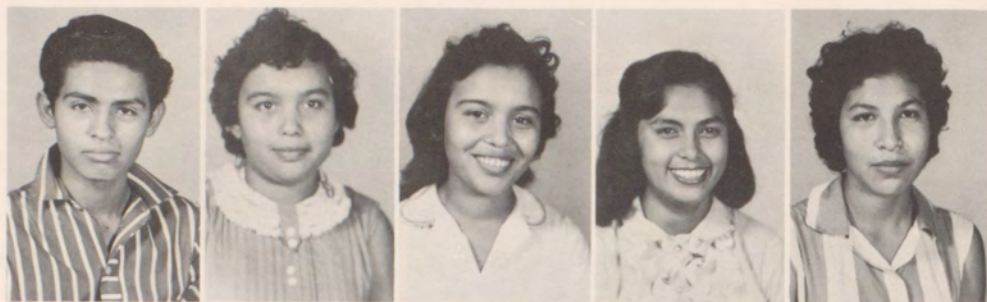
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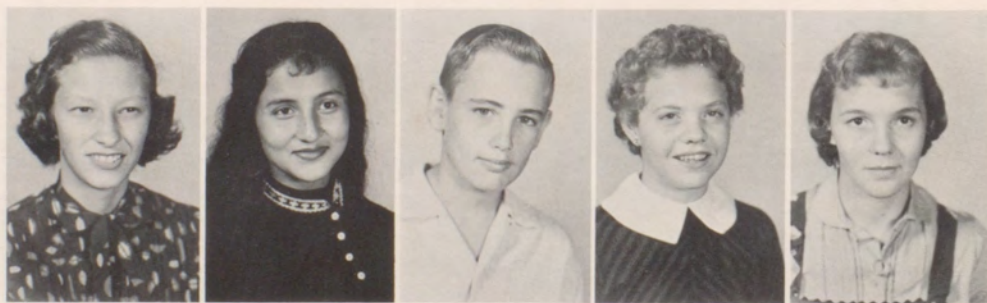
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Terry Denzer

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Carmen de Leon
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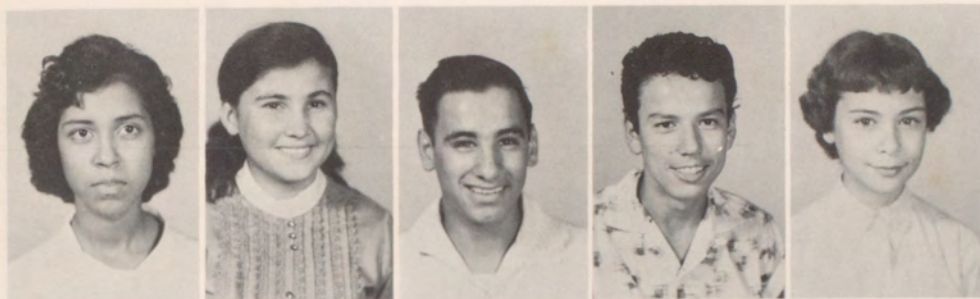
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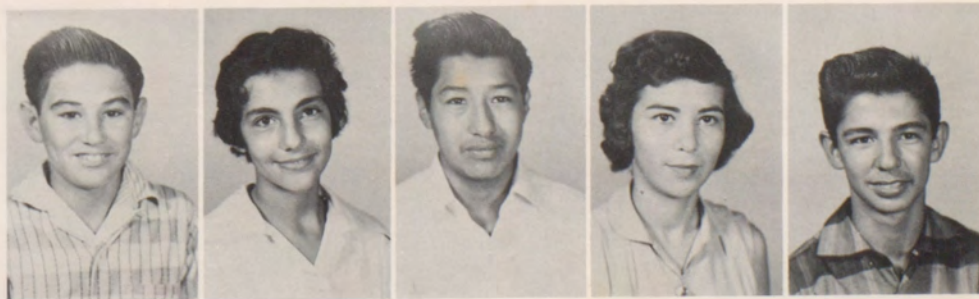
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 Andrea Gonzalez
 Delia Gonzales
 Israel Gonzalez

Johnny Gonzales
 Josephine Gonzalez
 Juan Gonzalez
 Oralia Gonzalez
 Oscar Gonzalez





Yolanda Gonzalez
 Freddy Grabiner
 Elaine Guenther
 Maria O. Guajardo
 Jose Guzman

Dickie Hagens
 Nancy Hall
 Judy Haregsin
 Norma Gutierrez
 Paulette Harpster



Suzanne Hartley
 Robert Harrington
 Linda Hazleton
 Mary Heaney
 Billy Heiserman

Betty Jean Henderson
 Sally Henderson
 Jimmy Henderson
 Lillian Hendricks
 Gloria Hernandez



Juan Hernandez
 Joe Herrera
 Criselda Hinojosa
 Benny Hirsch
 Dick Holmes

Mary Jo Hopkins
Bobby Ihde
Elogio Isguirre
Jan Jackson
Kay Jancik



Travis Johnson
Donald Johnstone
Bobby Jones
Sandra Jones
James Kellar

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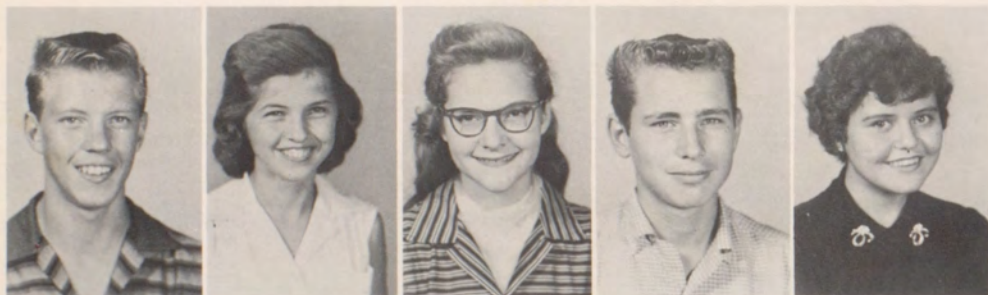
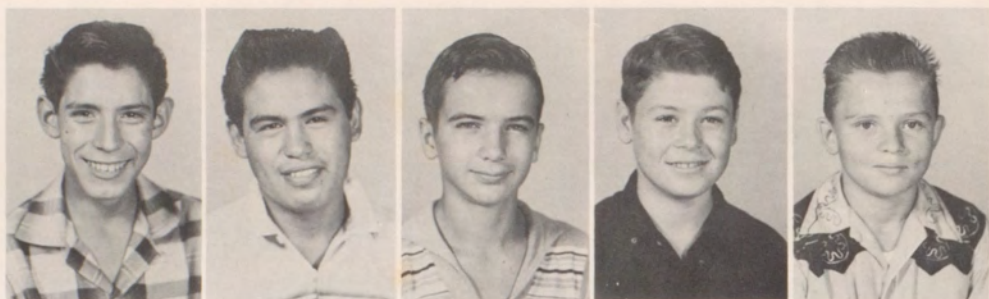
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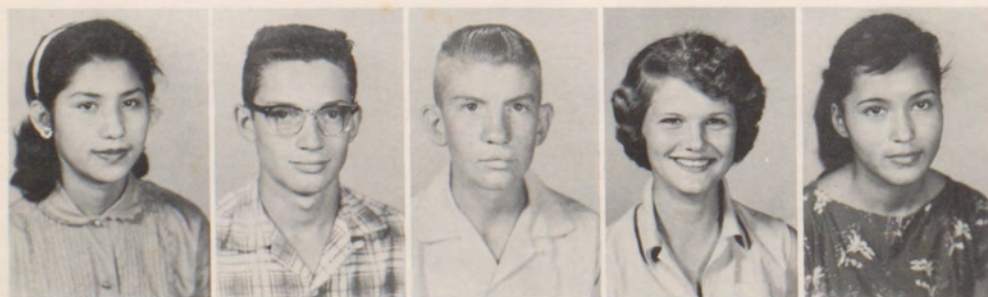
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Jay McGregor



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Toni McKay
Linda McKenzie
Dickie McMillan
Susan Miler

Billy Moran
Kathleen Morrison
Lad Moore
Wesley Moore
Irma Munoz



Ernestina Murrieta
Arthur Nash
Martin Nelson
Ann Neubauer
Esperanza Ortega

Christine Orth
Diana Ortiz
Gregorio Palacios
Julian Palacios
Mike Palomo



Pedro Palomo
Roy Paras
Gracie Paz
Paul Pennington
Francisco Peralez

Juan Perez
Maria Ana Perez
Mary Lou Perry
Diana Prest
Jay Pringle



Sandra Province
Belia Quiroz
Artemio Ramirez
Beatriz Ramirez
Edward Ramirez

Gilbert Ramirez
Joe Ramirez
Constancia Ramos
Edna Mae Rock
Alejo Romero





Byron Renfroe
Doris Ridings
Manuel Rivera
Lydia Rocha
Jose Rodriguez

Juan Rodriguez
Ruben Rodriguez
Vicente Rodriguez
Humberto Romero
Eloisa Rosa



Raul Rosa
Rose Ann Russell
Bobby Rutledge
Carmen Rutledge
Jesus Sanchez

Dalia Sarabia
Dominga Silva
Carole Sing
Doyle Slayton
Romeo Sloss



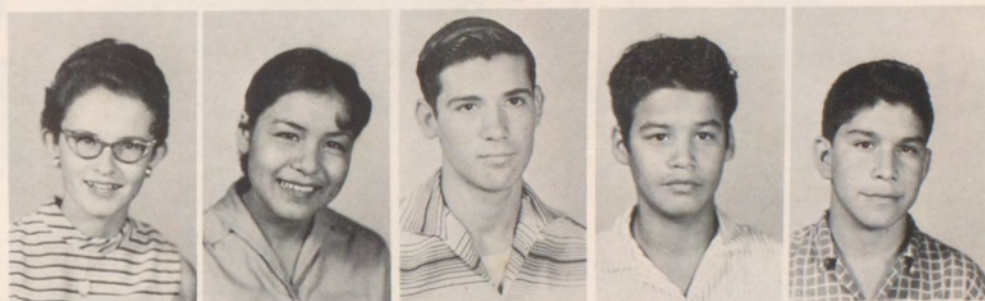
Linda Darlene Smith
Billy Spencer
Elizabeth Spencer
Carolyn Spillar
Karen Steib

Carolyn Stone
Sonny Stotler
Jose Tanguma
Oralia Tamez
Bucko Tompkins



Ray Toney
Irene Torres
Diana Trevino
Maria Uvalle
Raquenel Vargas

Judy Vanderslice
Anna Vaquera
Joe Vecchio
Rudy Villagomez
Hector Villarreal



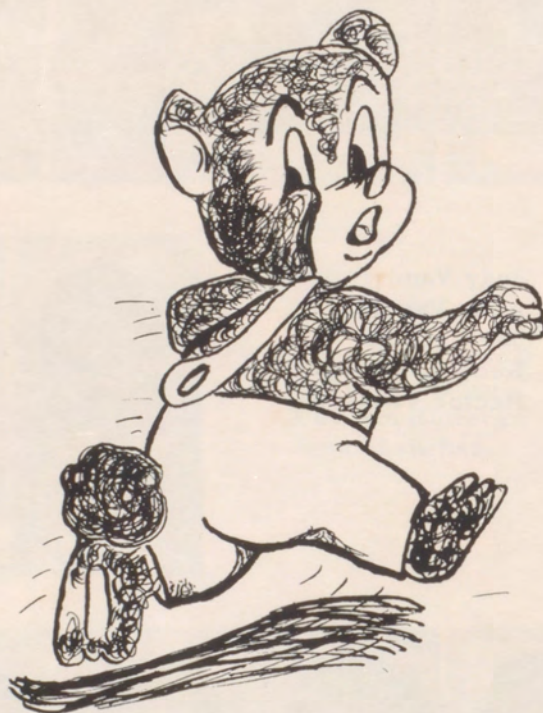
Joe N. Villarreal
Rosalinda Villarreal
Barbara Wallace
Janet May Walthall
Tommy Ward

Janet Westbrook
Tom White
Randa Winn
Arlene Wood
Joann Wright





Gloria Yandell
Georgie Young
Ramon Zamaripa





F. H. A. Dance

Last year's Sweetheart, Barbara Hickman, presents Ella Gomez honored by the Senior Homemakers with the title this year.



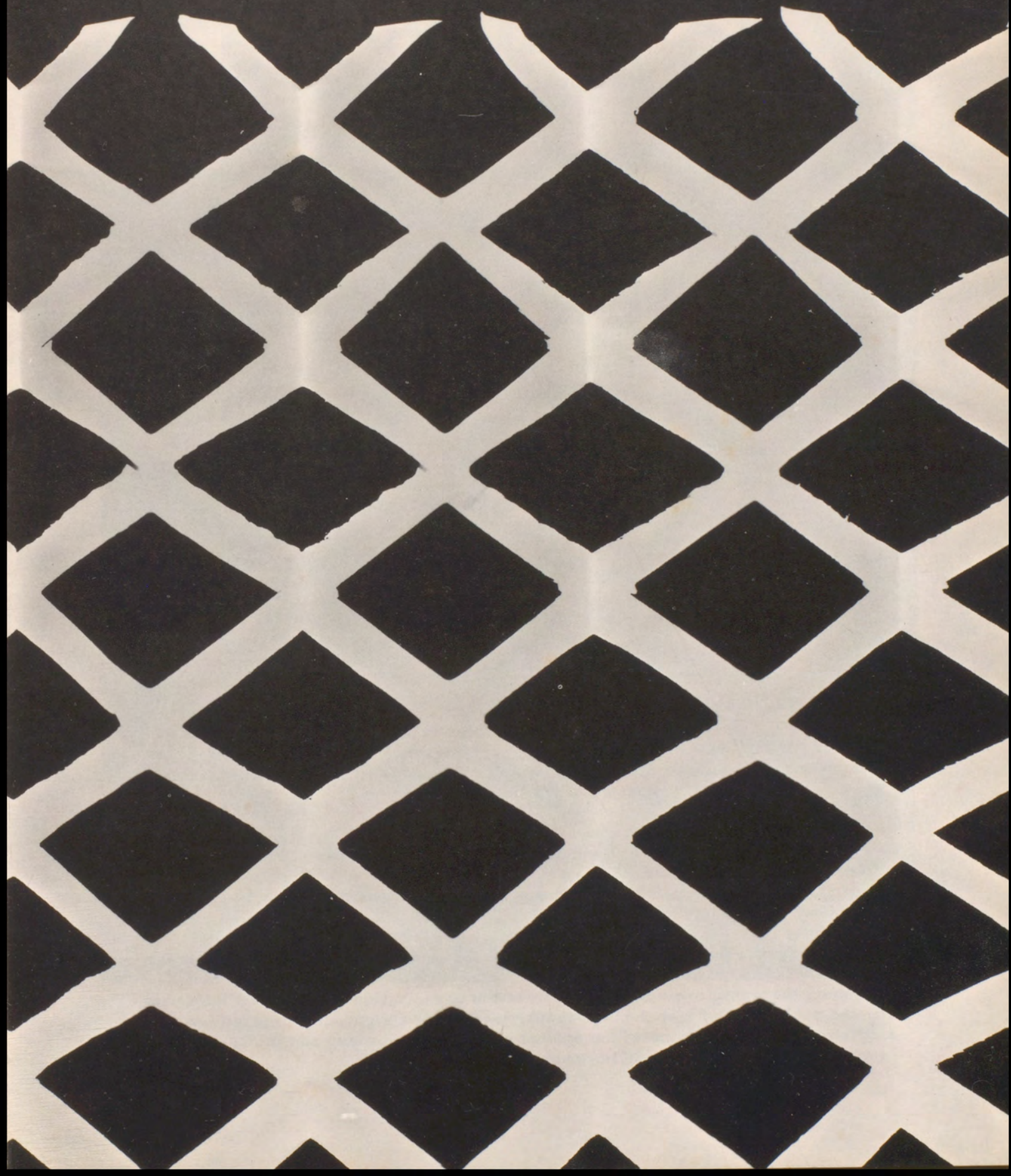
Raul Ayala, F. H. A. 's favorite boy takes the center of the stage with Ella.



Junior and Senior Favorites get together to "watch the birdie."



Organizations



Student Council



Griff O'Neil, President

Judy Seitz, Vice President
Noe Garza, Treasurer

Lynette Stauffer, Secretary
Robert Laymon, Parliamentarian

Donna Kellogg - Cor. Secretary

Led by President O'Neil, the Student Council has been one of the most active student organizations on the PSJA campus in many years.

Setting up many different projects designed for the betterment of our alma mater, the Student Council has worked hard and long to make PSJA a truly fine educational institution.

Assisting President O'Neil were the heads of various school organizations who, for the first time, were made members of the Council.

Among the many profitable projects were the organization of a Junior High Council, the publication of a student handbook, conducting a vigorous campaign for good sportsmanship, revamping of the student council constitution, and the sponsorship of many campus beautification improvements.

Student Council Representatives



Senior Class members



Junior Class members

Student Council Representatives



Freshmen Class Members



Sophomore Class Members



Bearettes

Mrs. Jeannette Cain,
Sponsor



The Bearette Council



Twirlers
Carol Christoffel
Marilyn Miller



Drum Major Donna Kellogg

Twirlers
Valerie Knapp
Jan Benson

Choir



The Concert Choir



Mr. Marvin Pollard,
Director

The PSJA Concert Choir, under the direction of Marvin Pollard, has become well-known for its concerts and religious presentations in the Pharr, San Juan and Alamo communities.

Meeting one hour every day, the Choir has worked as a unit, studying and practicing, until they have developed much skill in the presentation of popular, classical and religious music.

One of the highlights of the year which the student body always looks forward to is the variety program given by the Choir. It always proves to be a delightful hour of entertainment.

Mr. Pollard and his company of fine musicians can well be proud of the contributions they have made to our school.

Choir



The Concert Choir



The Boys' Quartette



Regional winners

Choir



Choir Officers



The Girls' Sextette



Band

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The PSJA High School
Band

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Band Officers



Band

Mr. David Gamboa, Director
Mr. Bob Busby, Assistant Director



DRUM MAJOR GRIFF O'NEIL



TWIRLERS

Judy Seitz, Genieva Ward, Brenda Schultze, Nancy Hall, Sharon Hendrick

Number Sense



The Number Sense Club numbers both boys and girls in its membership. This denies the popular theory that girls "can't add."

This club meets regularly and spends some interesting hours in the field of mathematics.

Miss Carman has sponsored a Number Sense Club for a number of years and has had an excellent record in Interscholastic League competition. Her students have gone to State quite often and she can also boast State winners.

Last year Miss Carman received the first award to be presented by the Actuaries Club of the Southwest to the teacher in this region who has done the most in promoting interest in mathematics.



Miss Edith Carman,
Sponsor

F. T. A.



The first F. T. A. Club was organized here in 1949-50 and met in the H. E. cottage. Since those days it has grown and grown. The purpose of the club is to help students interested in teaching to explore that profession as a career. Each year the club has a number of worthwhile projects.



Miss Ethel Carman,
Sponsor



F. T. A. Officers

F. F. A.



To many people raising pigs would be a distasteful hobby, but to a group of PSJA students it is an interesting and informative pastime. These boys are members of the local Future Farmers of America chapter. And they not only raise pigs but cows, sheep, chickens and many other things pertaining to the farm.

Entering their projects in many shows, they traveled to Mercedes, San Antonio, Donna and various other places to exhibit their animals this year.



Mr. Gayle Clemons, Sponsor



PSJA Chapter Officers

Y-Teens

Y-Teen Officers



Mrs. Margaret Henderson,
Sponsor



There were happy faces among the needy of our community on Christmas Day because of the generosity and selflessness of the Y-Teens. All agree that this is one of the most active clubs in our high school.

Senior F. H. A.



Senior Chapter Officers



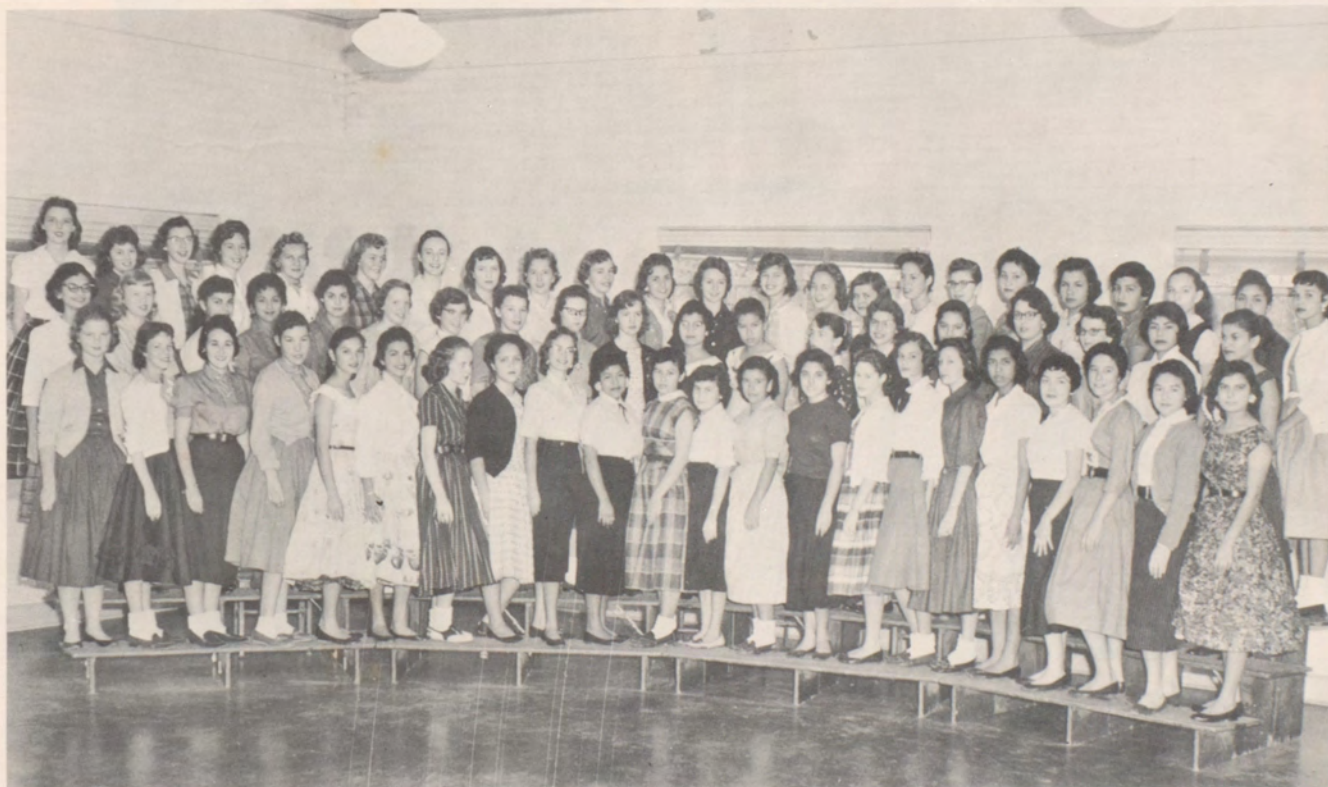
Mrs. Mary McGaughey,
Sponsor



Mrs. Nan Andrews
Sponsor



Junior Chapter Officers



Distributive Education



Kenneth Tharp - President
Carmen Munoz - Vice President
John Neal - Treasurer
Bonnie McBee - Secretary



Mr. Mario D'Errico
Sponsor



Headed by Mr. D'Errico, D. E. has had one of its biggest years with 32 enrolled. These hard-working people go to school half a day and hold down jobs the other half in various businesses in the community.

T-Club



Members of PSJA's
Letterman's organization



Mr. Doug Cooke,
Sponsor



T Club Officers



Miss Emma Martinez,
Sponsor

If anybody deserves a "big hand" more than the Cheerleaders, we don't know who it is. These girls and their sponsor have done a great deal to keep PSJA's spirit high and can always be counted upon to be working tirelessly for good sportsmanship. So let's give a BIG cheer for the Cheerleaders - and Miss "Marty."

The Cheerleaders



Arinda Gomez



Olivia de la Fuente



Irma Ruiz

Olive Posey



Marilyn
Tippit



Publications



Co-Editors of The Bear's Tale
Ann White Dudley Lynch



Douglas Cron
Business Manager

The publications department of any high school is apt to be a thing of wonder at various times during a school year. "Deadline" is a nightmare word to staff members, and as it draws closer and closer, confusion seems to become greater and greater.

However, after issue 14 of The Bear's Tale goes to press and the last third of the annual goes into the post office, it is customary for staffers to take a deep breath and say, "Oh, it wasn't too bad. After all, we made it."

And looking back over the year we generally remember the laughs more than we do the headaches.



Sports Reporters
Dalton Hobbs Forrest Miesetschlaeger

Publications



Bear's Tale Reporters
Maria Vecchio, Charles Davis, Joan Christoffel, Minerva Martinez,
Barbara Graham, Basia Medvecky, Betty Graves



Bear's Tale Reporters
Carol Ann Beasley, Joyce Anderson, Jerry Farrar, Mary Ruth Guion,
Shirley Wilson, Johnny Gross

Publications



Bear Memories Editors
 Janie Barber, Reynaldo Contreras,
 Editor Asst. Editor



Olivia de la Fuente,
 Page Editor
 Wanda Lea Sublett,
 Business Manager



Oscar Villarreal,
 Head Photographer
 Ruffin Cooper, Jr.
 Asst. Photographer



Artist Joe Gordon
 Page Editor Lad Moore

Slide Rule



Mr. Bryan Fisher Mr. Bob McHardy
Sponsors

The Slide Rule Club has an interested group of students who meet regularly and learn the many excellent uses of the instrument.

A number of the members plan to enter the engineering field and will be glad in the future that they spent some time now learning to use the slide rule.

Library Club



Mrs. Ruth Bolling,
Sponsor



Mrs. Leita Fosmire,
Sponsor

Dellia Heaney - President
Allan Kluna - Vice President
Jan Jackson - Secretary



PSJA's Library Club had the honor of acting as District IV president this year. Club members have attended several conventions and held regular meetings. Under the sponsorship of Mrs. Bolling and Mrs. Fosmire, students interested in library science have had a profitable year.

Key Club



Key Club Officers



Mr. Gordon Lee, Sponsor

A division of Kiwanis International, the Key Club is a high school service organization set up to provide any assistance that is possible to the school and community.

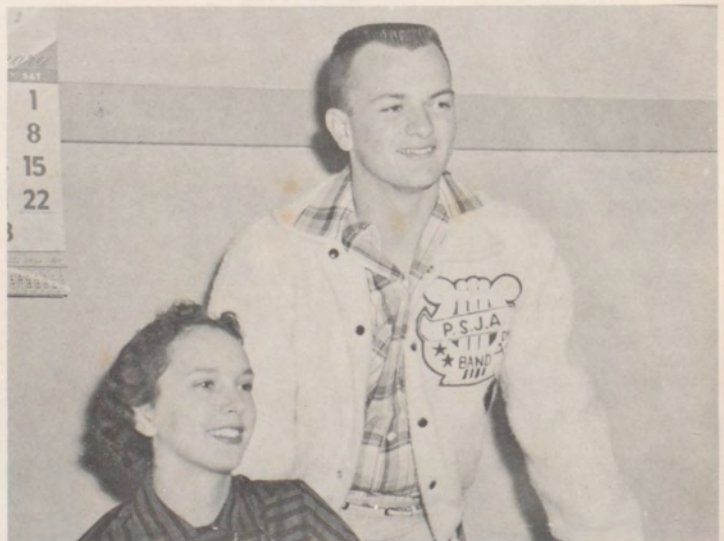
This year, the Key Club assisted in the March of Dimes drive, held their own clothes drive and helped the Kiwanis with their service projects.

On the social side, the boys threw several dances and parties and sponsored a hayride.

Bears Clause



Miss Ethel Carman,
Sponsor

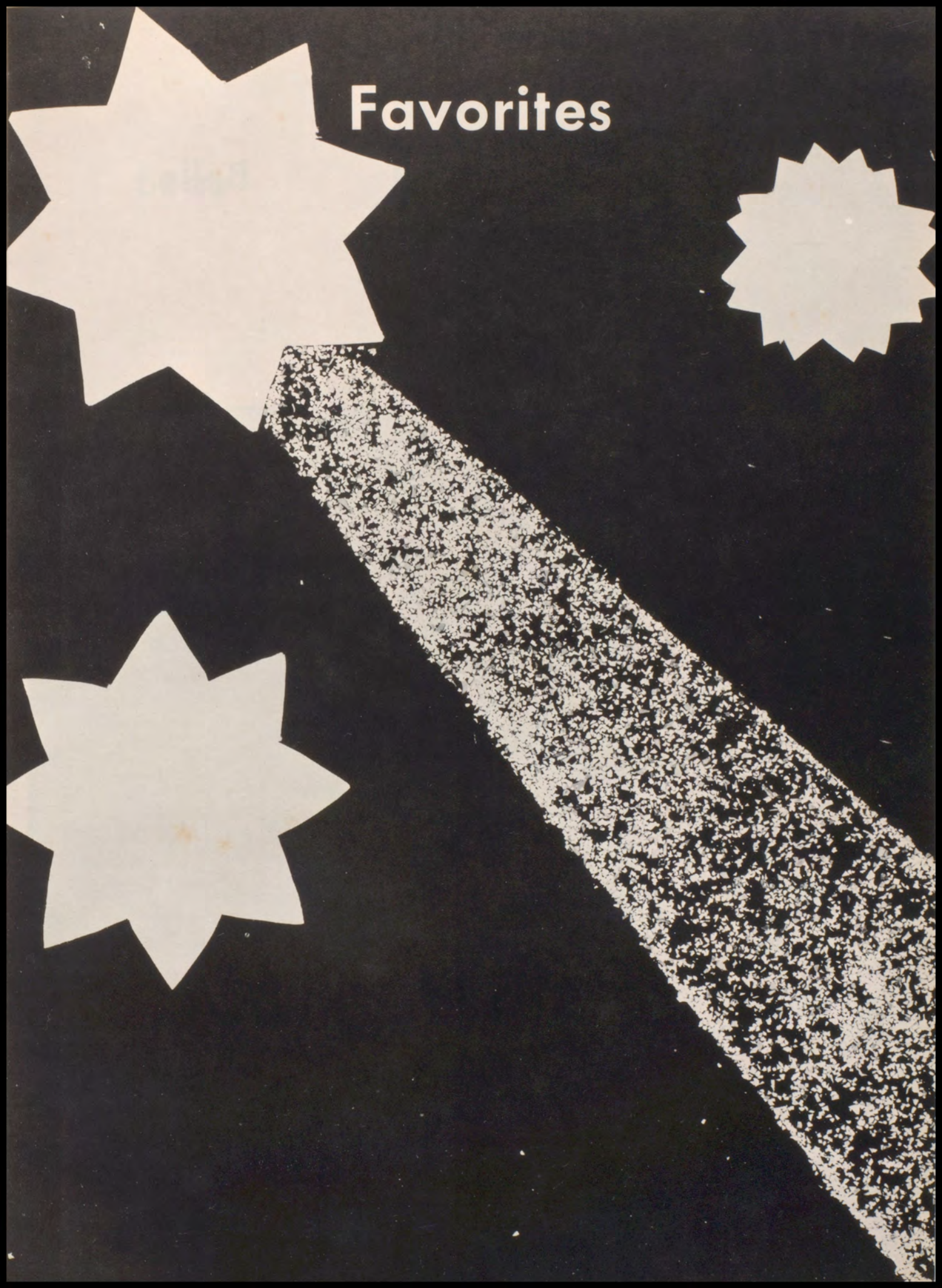


Griff O'Neil, Editor
Basia Medvecky, -Business Manager

The Bear's Clause is PSJA's sole claim to literary fame as it is the only publication dealing entirely with the creative writing ability of the student body.

Poems, short stories and other interesting bits of reading were submitted to Editor Griff O'Neil and his staff who selected the best ones for publication.

Favorites



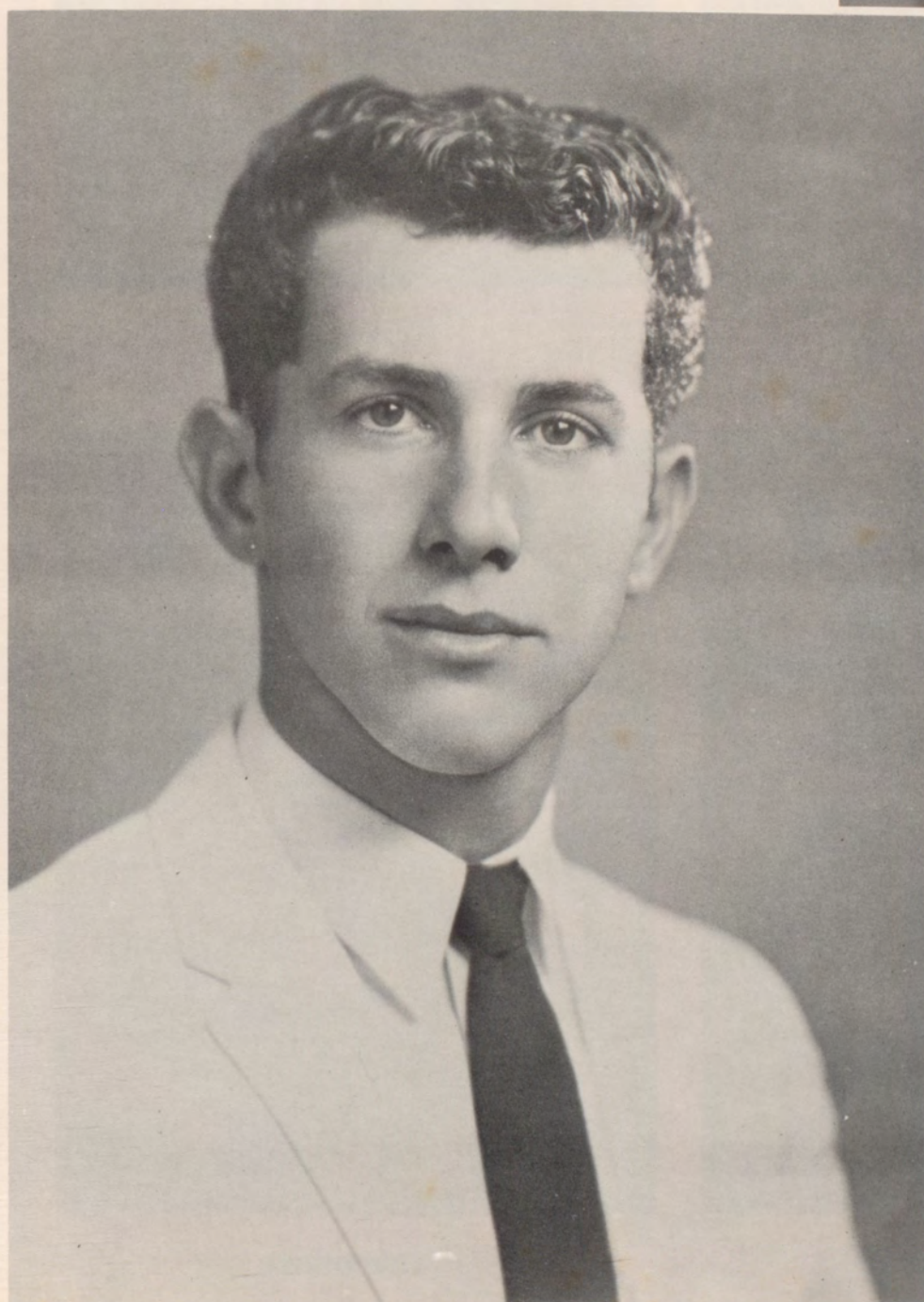


Belle

OLIVE POSEY



Beau



MARIO CANTU

Who's Who



JUDY SEITZ



SHARON ENGLAND



GRIFF O'NEIL



DIANA ALANIZ



REYNALDO SAENZ



ANN WHITE



DUDLEY LYNCH

N. H. S.



A select group, members of the National Honor Society, were chosen by the faculty as the PSJA students best portraying the four characteristics set forth as the qualities necessary for membership - character, scholarship, leadership, and service.

It has been the responsibility of the 29 NHS members to maintain a high scholastic average, as well as to conduct themselves as ladies and gentlemen so as to provide a guide and a goal for the students of PSJA High School.

In an effort to promote better scholarship among non-members, the NHS sponsored an honor roll every six weeks period throughout the year. The first honor roll was announced at the NHS Assembly in October which, according to many, was one of the best assemblies ever held at PSJA.



Senior members of NHS

N. H. S.



Junior members of NHS



Mrs. Helen Bowman Mrs. Barbara Smith
Sponsors



NHS Officers

Arinda Gomez
Campbell De Roulac



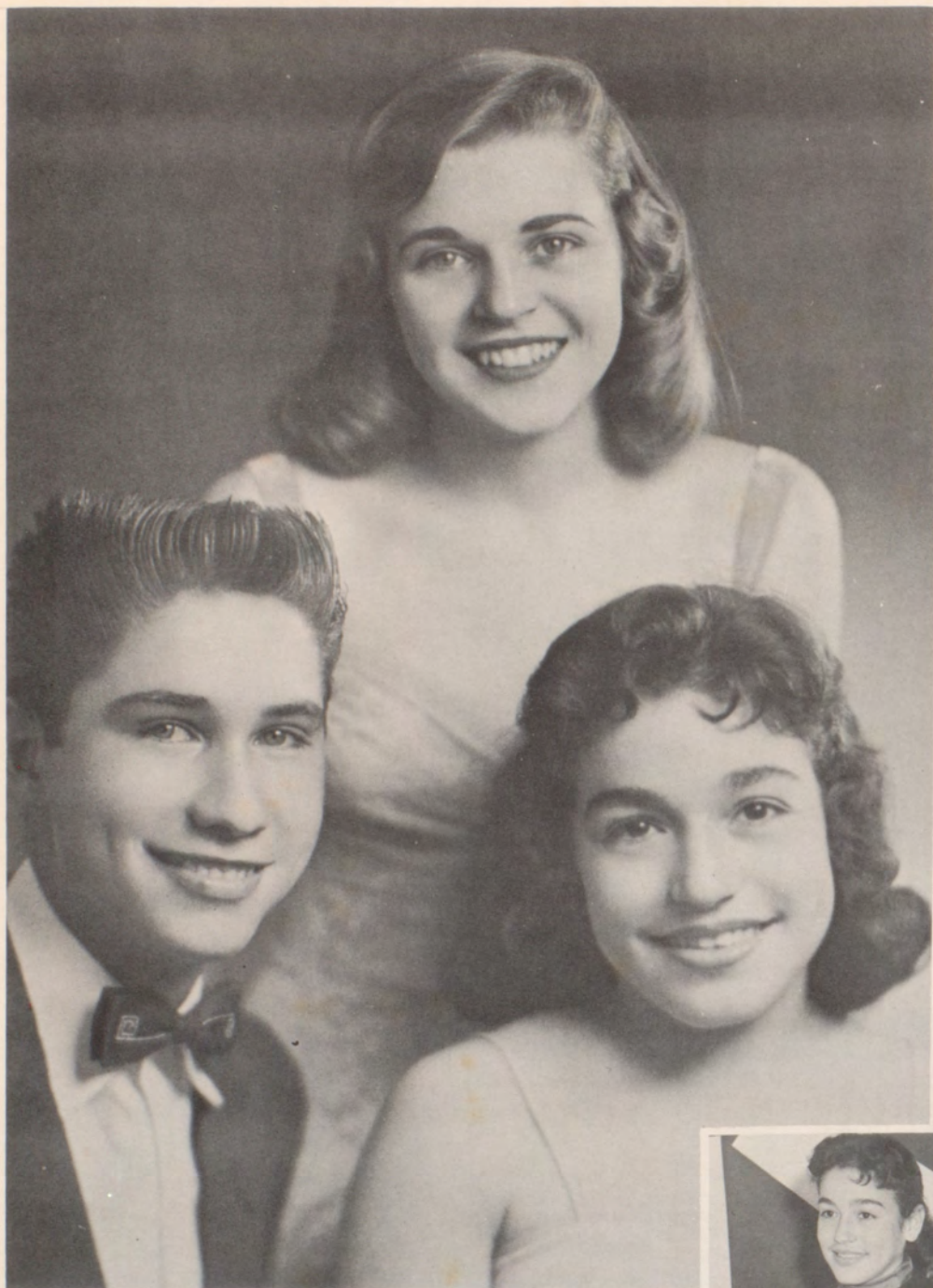
**Senior
Favorites**



Yolanda Martinez
Isauro Pruneda

Junior Favorites





Carol Christoffel
Hugo Robles

Arcelia Contreras

Sophomore Favorites



Freshmen Favorites



Carole Sing
Danny Cramer



Rosalinda Gomez

Homecoming Queen



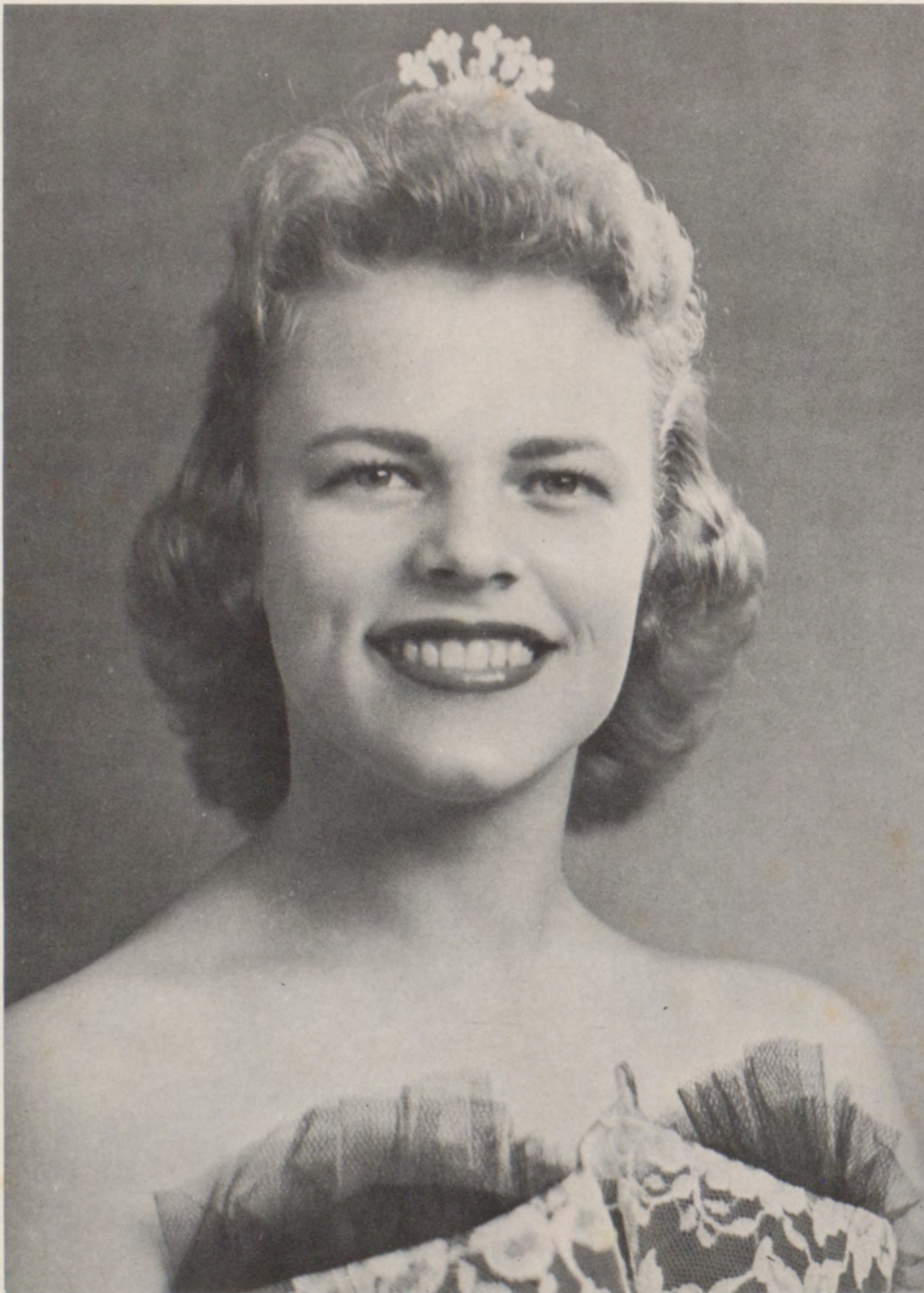


Band Sweetheart

Sharon England



T-Club Sweetheart



Donna Kellogg

Carol Ann Beasley
Cathy Young



F. F. A.
Sweethearts

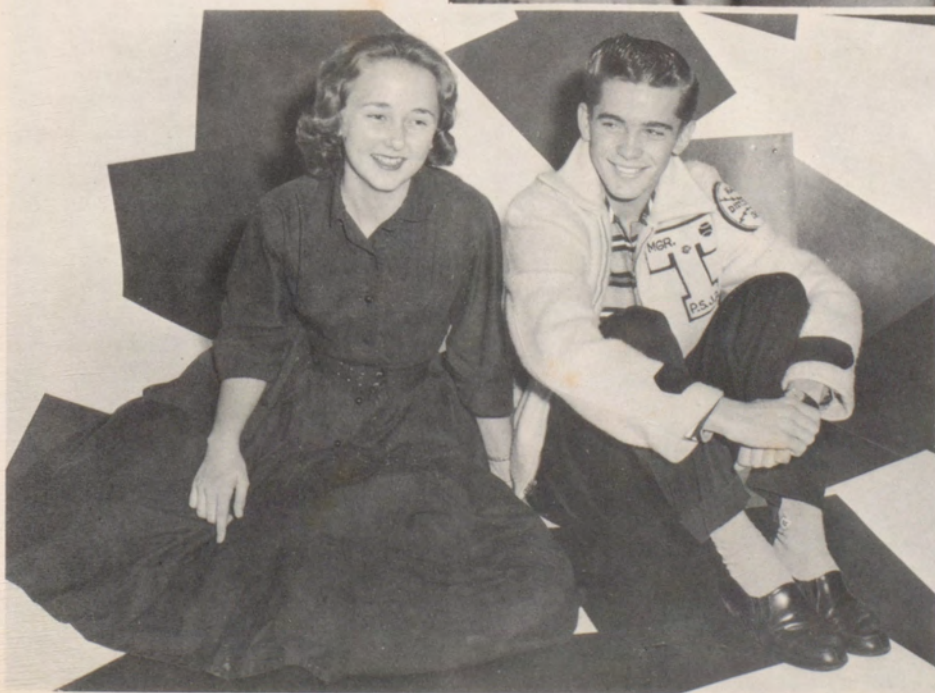
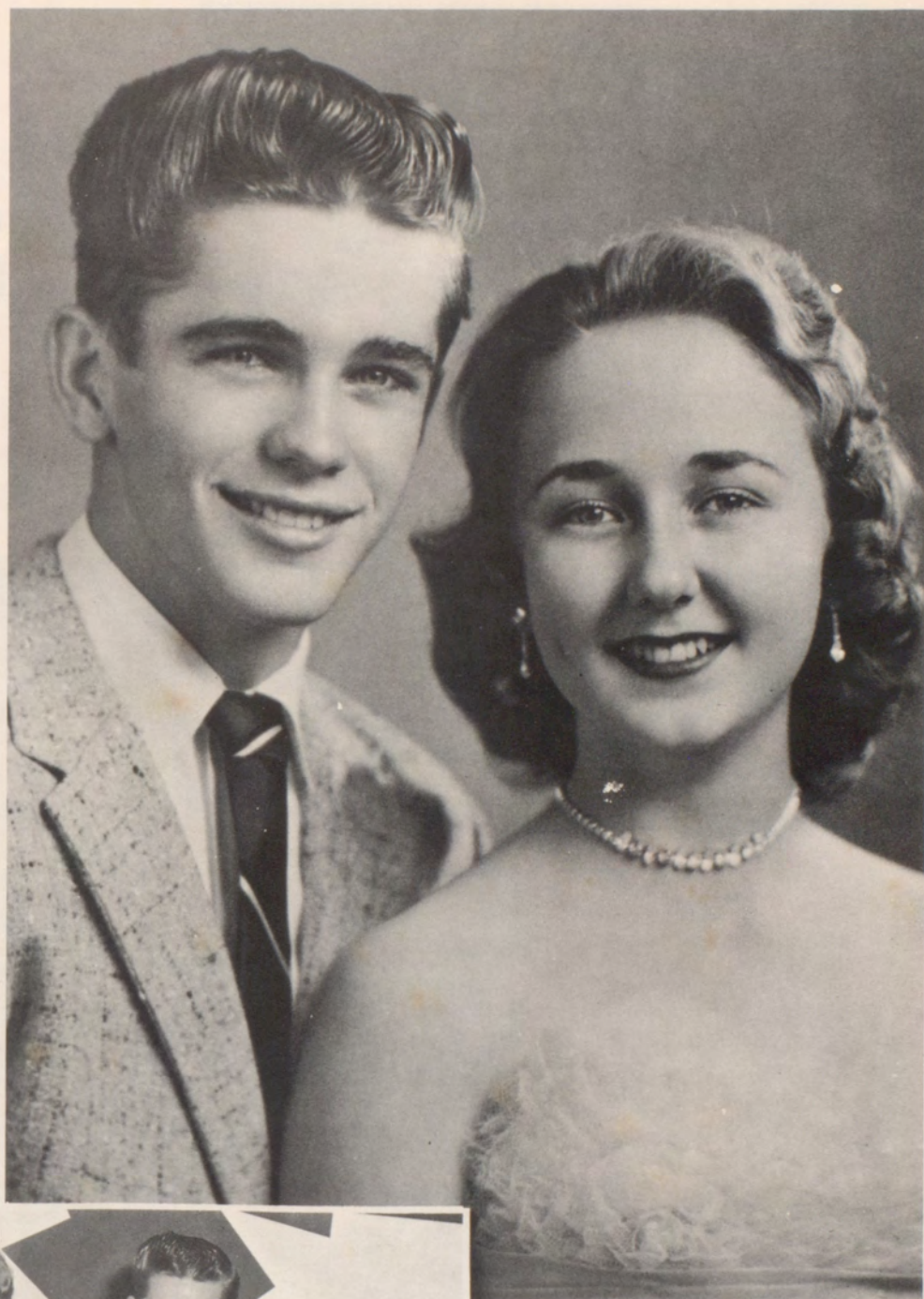


Ella Gomez
Raul Ayala

Senior F. H. A. Sweethearts



**Junior
F. H. A.
Sweethearts**



Sally Henderson
Dalton Hobbs



Miss and Mr.
F. T. A.

Diana Alaniz
Reynaldo Saenz



Y-Teen of the Year Y-Teen Sweetheart



Sharon Hendrick
Johnny Gross

Bertha Hernandez
Joyce Anderson



Honey Bears

**Miss & Mr.
Bearette**



Cristina Gorena
Griff O'Neil



D. E.
Sweetheart

Rosario Garza





Ann White
Judy Seitz

Student Council Sweethearts



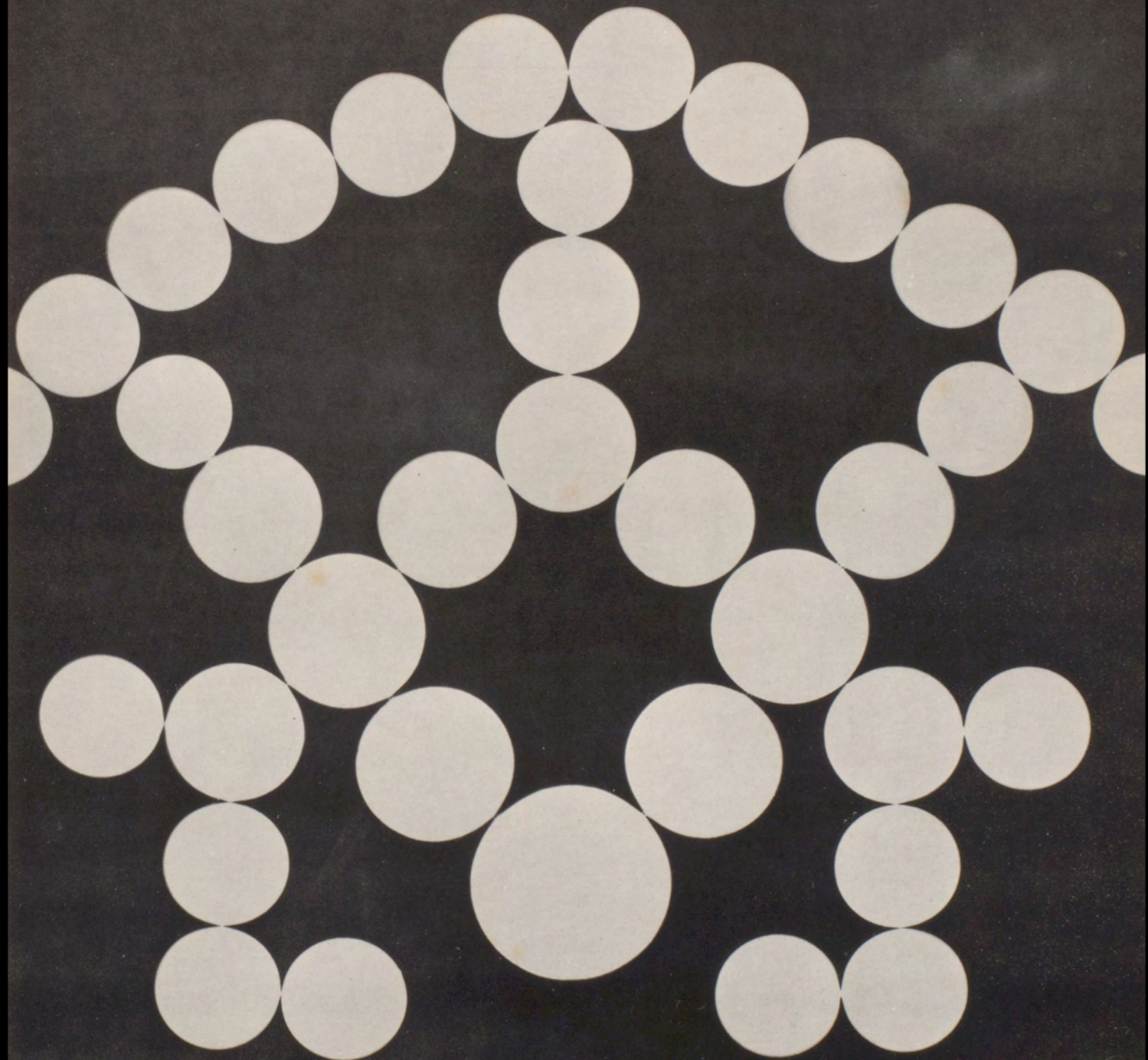


Mary Ruth Guion

**Basketball
Sweetheart**



Activities



Sweethearts



Homecoming



Rosalinda
Gomez,
1957 Queen

Carol Beasley

Aida Cano

Judy Seitz

Donna Kellogg

Mary Ruth
Guion

Olive Posey

Sharon Hendrick

Brenda Schultze

Diana Alaniz



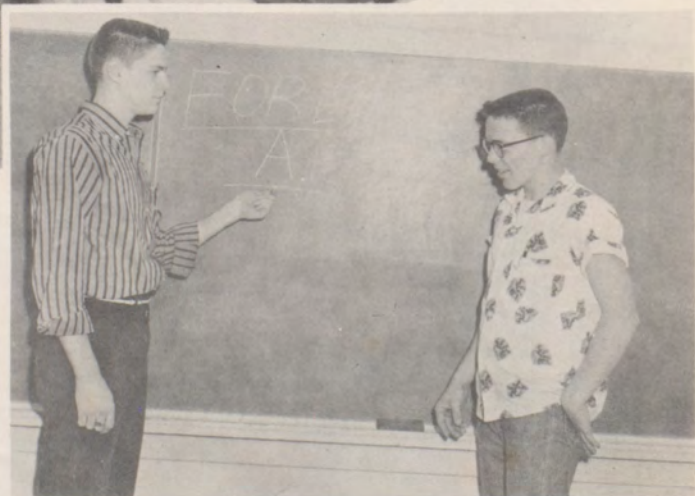
I. S. L.



Shorthand



Readywriters



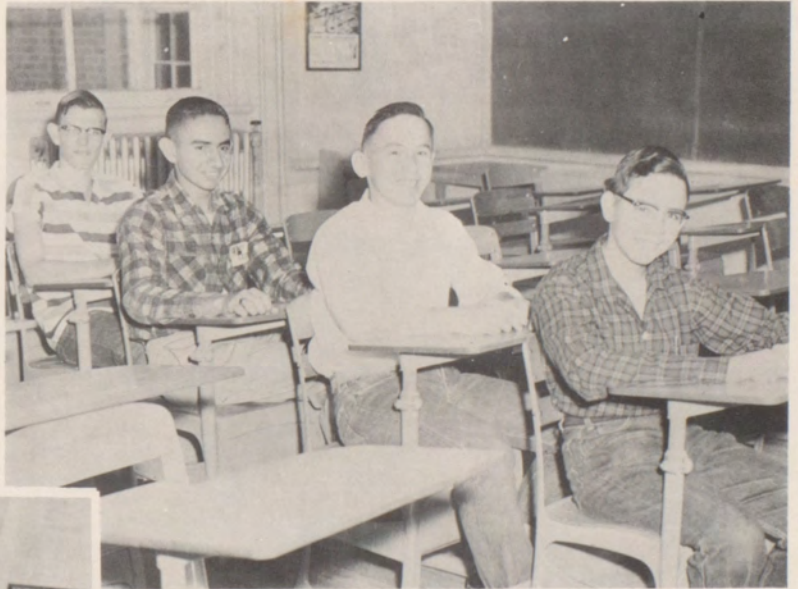
Debaters

I. S. L.



These girls are working on typing for the District Meet.

The Number Sense and Slide Rule boys put in a great deal of time practicing.



Ann White and Dudley Lynch, co-editors of the Bear's Tale, will compete in the Regional Journalism Meet. Ann went to State last year in Journalism.



Belle - Beau Dance



Y-Teen Dance

Y-Teen of the Year, Sharon Hendrick, receives a beautiful bouquet from Joyce Anderson as Carol Ann Beasley looks happily on.



And they danced and they danced - - - -

Johnny Gross, Y-Teen Sweetheart, helps the Y-Teen of the Year down from the stage after the presentation. Ronny McClure and Sonny Paz, Sweetheart nominees, are pretty pleased about something or other.



And they danced and they danced some more - - - -

"Hillbilly Weddin' "

This was the play that had 'em "rolling in the aisles."

The seniors shown in the photo below bear no resemblance to Paw and Maw Belsnickle and the rest of the characters they portrayed. In the picture they are all so clean and combed which is NOT the way they appeared on the stage during the play. ALL agreed that it was work, but it was also fun.

Mrs. Marjorie Busby, Director; Sharon England, Student Director; Ronny McClure, Stage Manager; Joe Hess, Sound Effects.



THE CAST

"The Big Blow-up"



THE CAST

The Junior Class put on a very good show this year and it was enjoyed by good crowds both nights.

A mystery-comedy, "The Big Blow-up" had plenty of excitement as well as plenty of laughs.



Student Director Lynette Stauffer
Stage Manager Gumercindo Zuniga



PSJA'S SWING BAND



Candidates for Quill and Scroll, International Journalism organization.

More Miscellany



"Miss B. Schultze, whatever are you doing?"



McClure doesn't believe a word of it.



Hobbs, Jr. FHA Hero



Class Officer Henderson has worries, no doubt.



J. Gross must have tried out a "Laugh With the Staff" joke on P. Gritten.



Staff Artist Joe G. has a case of hysteria just before a deadline.

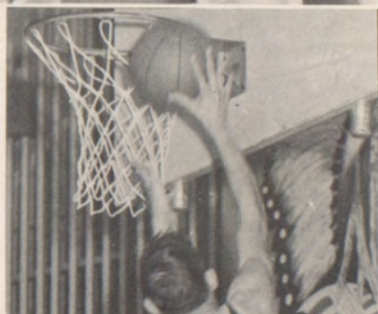


"Homecoming is over," says Pres. Raz.



Pres. O'Neil weighed down as usual.





Chess Club



The cry "Checkmate" is beginning to be heard more and more around our hallowed halls. This club, formed this year, has created much interest among students, and there is a chess game going at every opportunity.

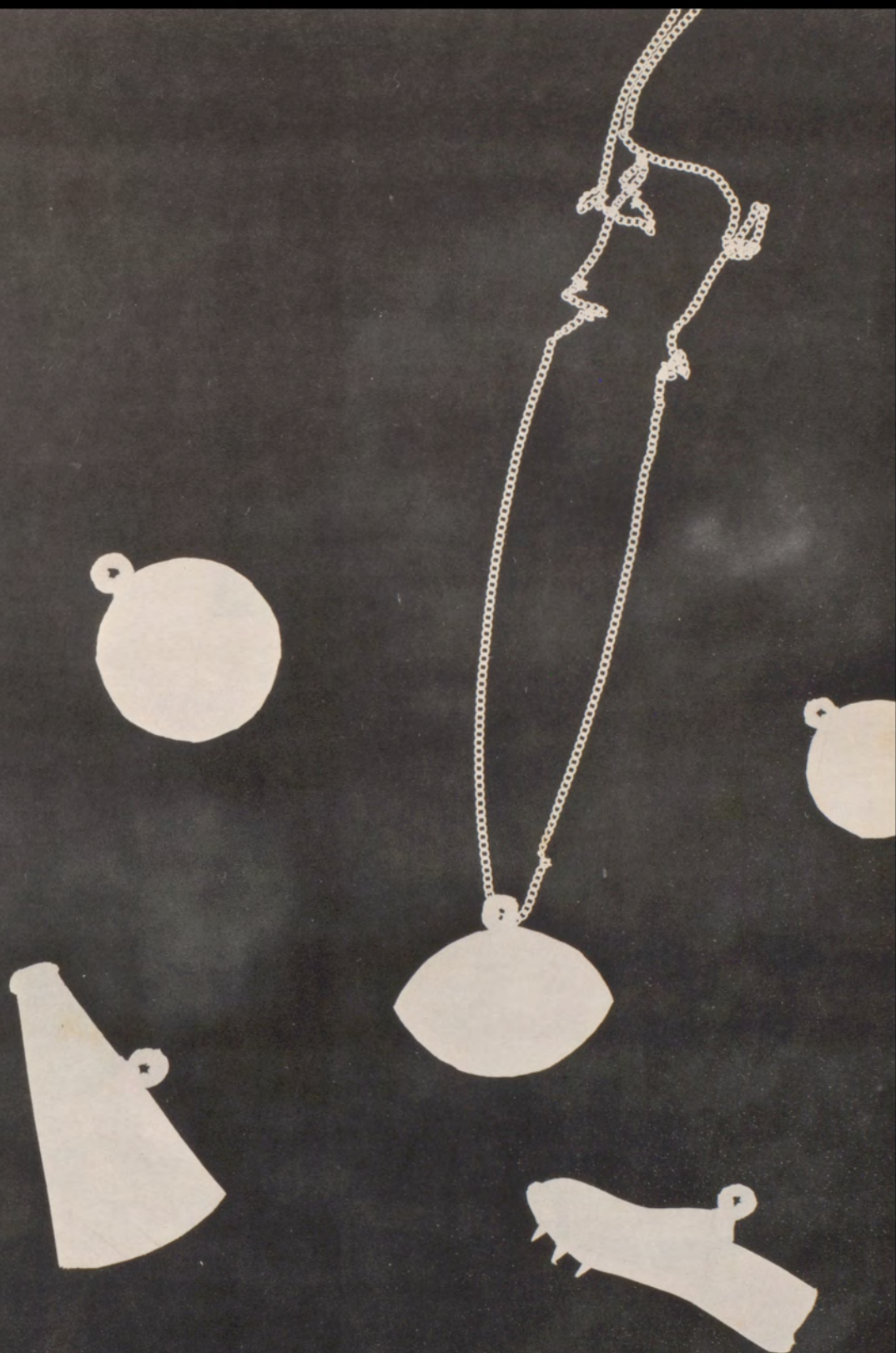


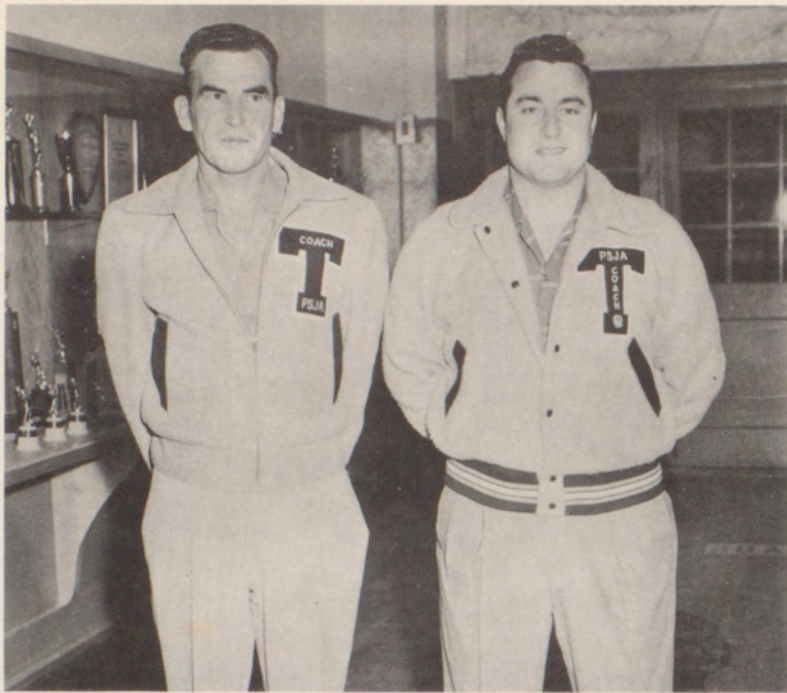
Chess Club Officers



Mrs. Vern Wodrich Mr. Elvis Ballew
Sponsors

SPORTS





Coach Doug Cooke - Coach Verle Cray

THE SCORES

McAllen	6	PSJA	6
Donna	12	PSJA	12
Brownsville	6	PSJA	7
Harlingen	27	PSJA	20
Edinburg	7	PSJA	12



Phil
Junior



Noe Garza
Sophomore



Tony Gongora
Senior



Tommy Tisdale
Junior



Campbell de Roulac
Senior



Wallace Sternberg
Junior



Robert
Sophomore

ball



Managers
Kiki Trevino Robert Reyna

THE SCORES

Robstown	21	PSJA	13
Weslaco	7	PSJA	14
San Benito	28	PSJA	0
Mission	19	PSJA	12
C. C. Academy	0	PSJA	58

Farris



Reynaldo Contreras
Senior

Clifton



Fidel Paras
Senior



Isauro Pruneda
Junior



Mario Cantu
Senior



Charles Curtis



Reynaldo Vela



Rodrigo Flores



Rafael Bran



Robert Garcia



Rodney Robie



Johnny Harper



Paul Gritten



Jack Wright



Sonny Paz



Roy Hopkins



Larry Rose



Raul Izaguirre

The Squad



Allan Kluna

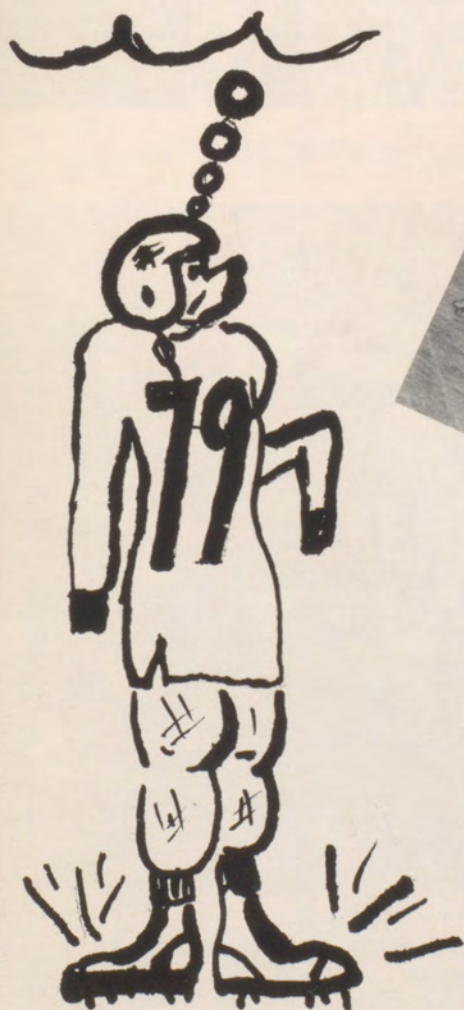




B Team



Managers
Moore, Garza, Lynch



Basketball



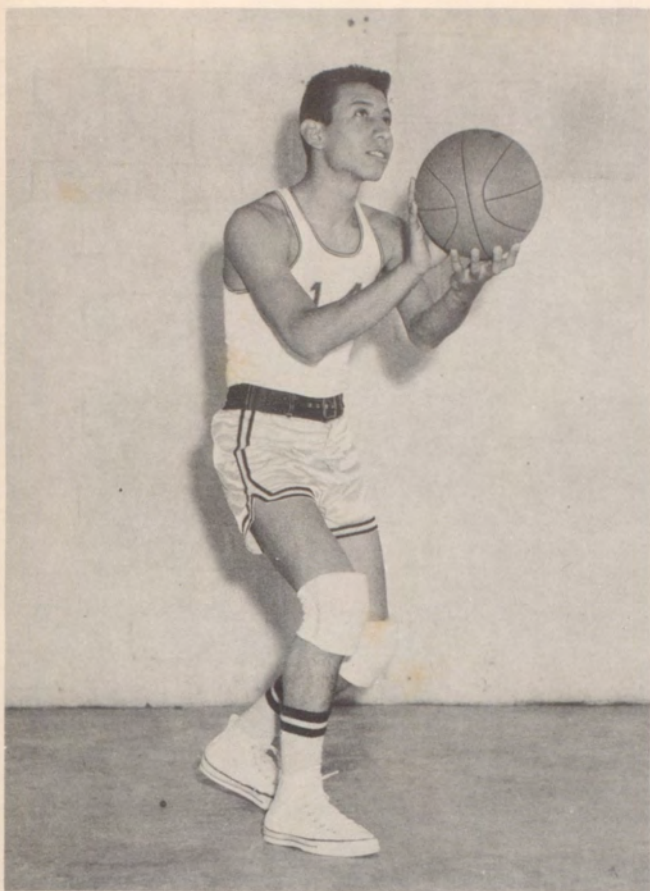
The "A" Team



Mr. Verle Cray, Coach



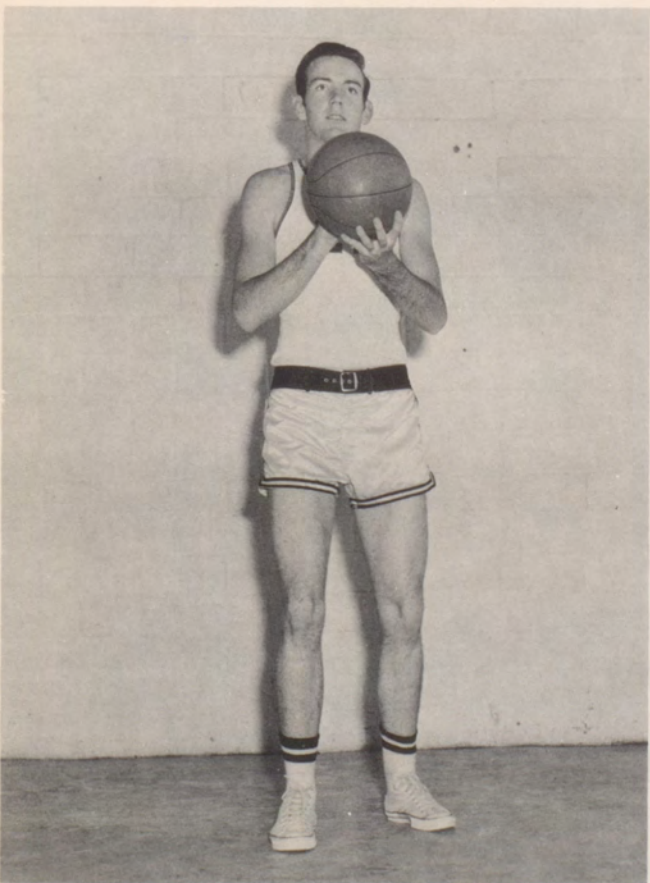
Managers Moore, Ihde, Harrington



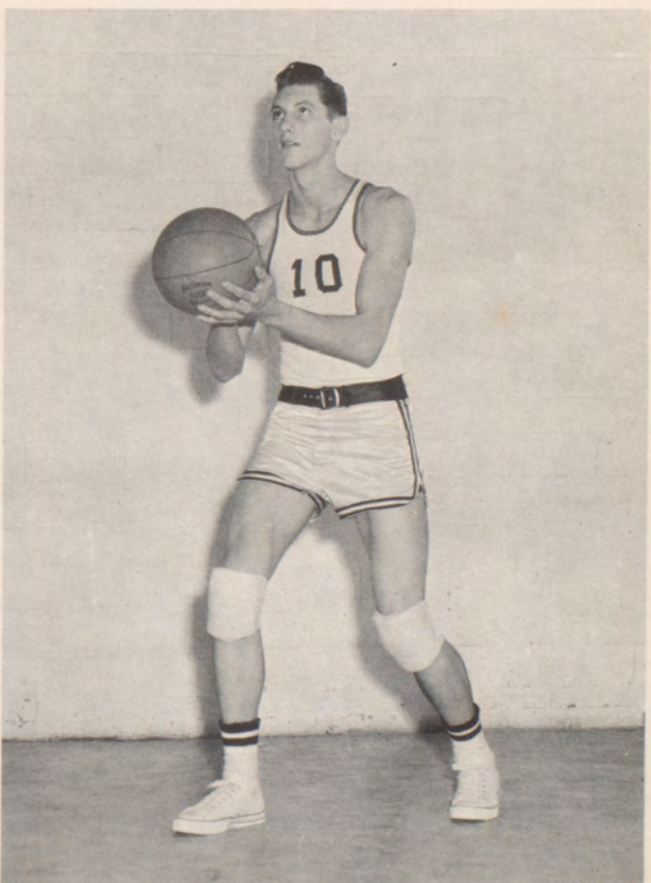
"Sonny" Paz



Dudley Lynch



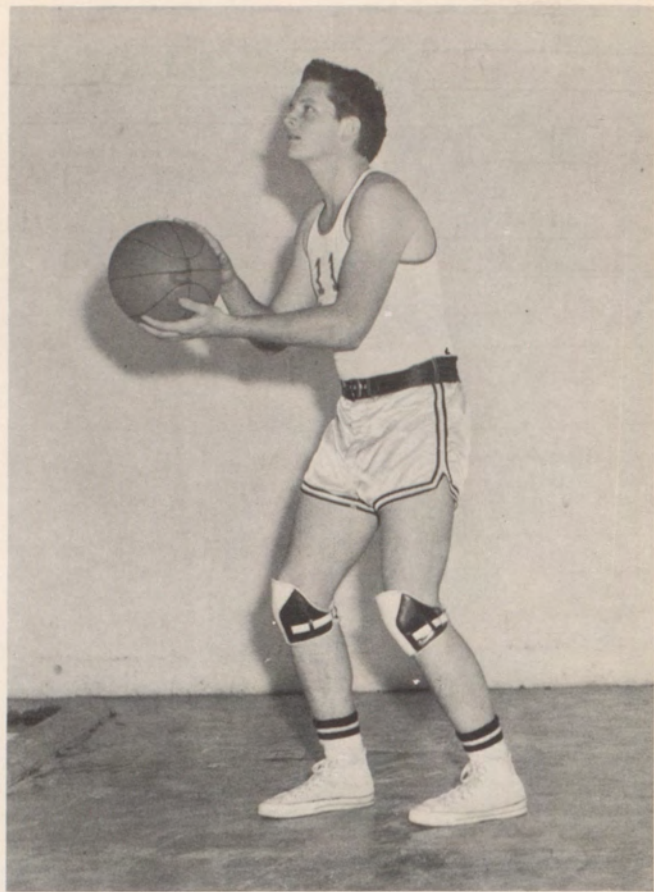
Phillip Geery



Charles Curtis



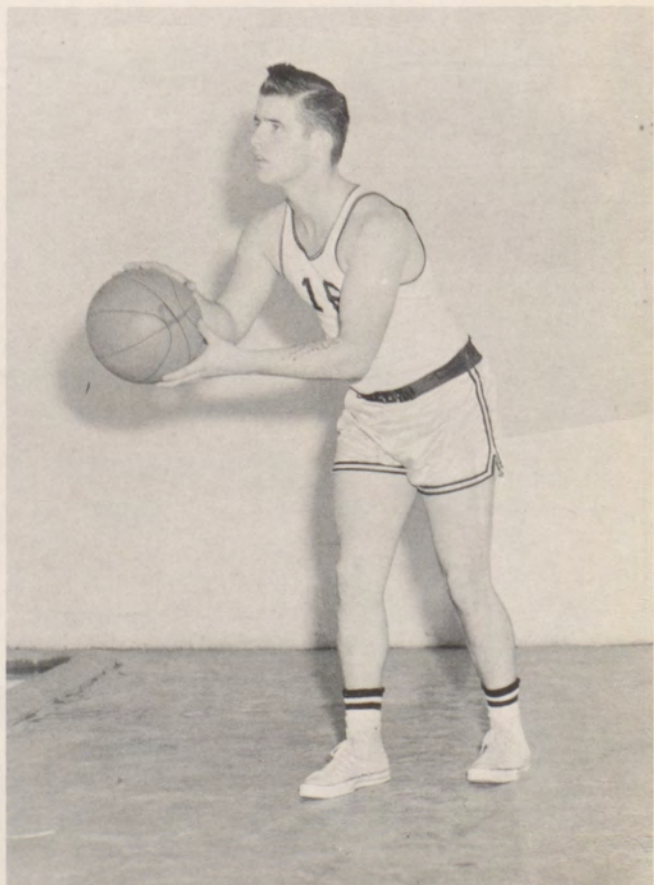
Sammy Giuoco



Tommy Tisdale



Jack Wright



Paul Gritten

B-Team



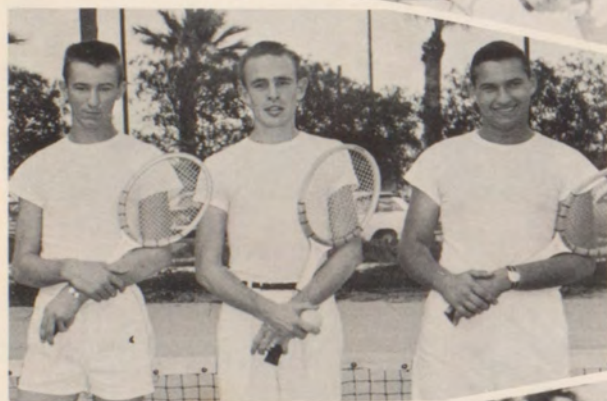
Mr. H. A. "Tub" Cheaney,
Coach



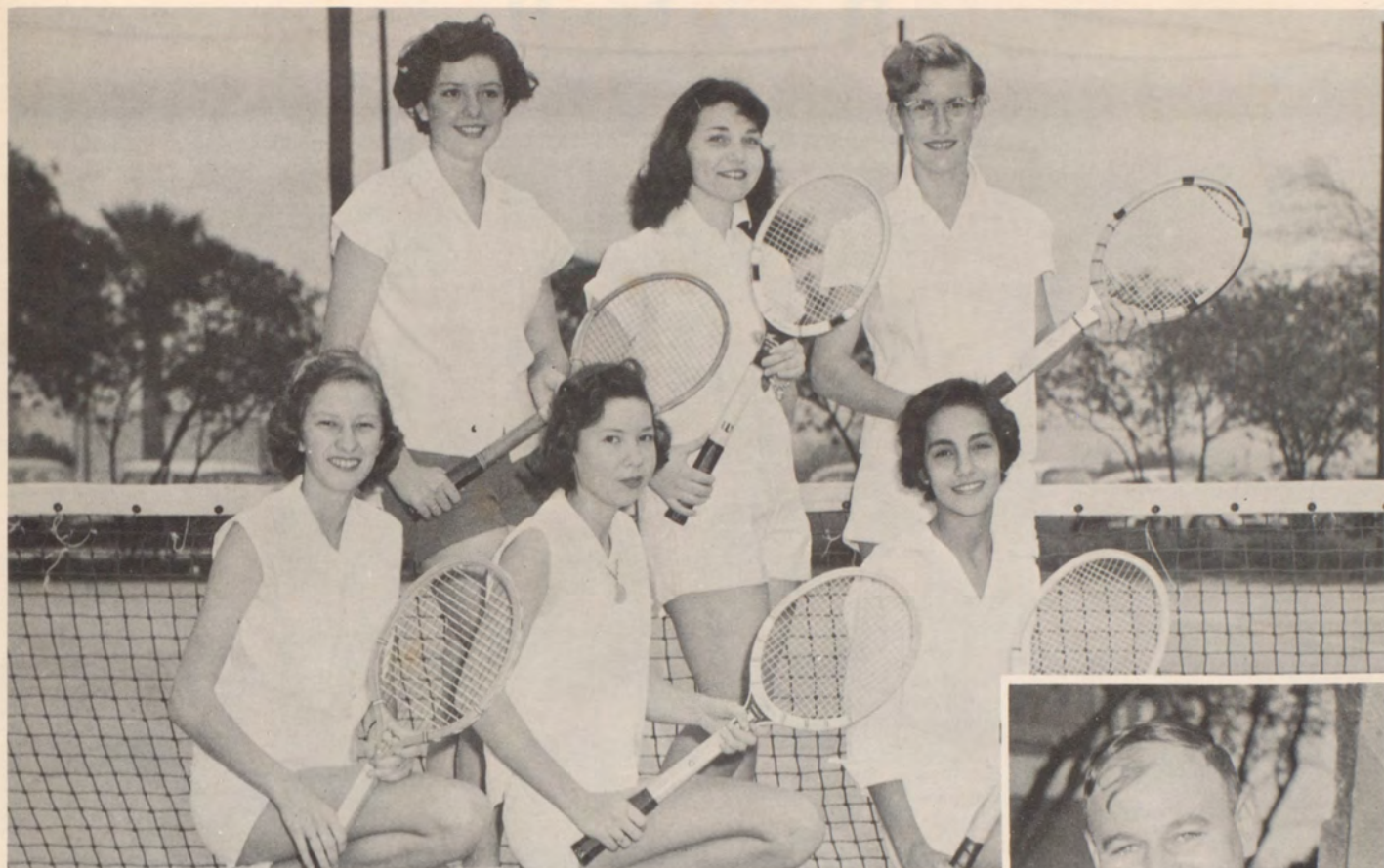
Tennis



Senior Division
Stoner, Finn, Martin
Senior Captains



Junior Division



Junior Division

Mr. Ray Haldiman,
Tennis Coach



Senior Division

Baseball



THE TEAM



The Catchers



The Pitchers



The Outfielders



The
Infielders



Coach Cain



The B Team

Track



Relay Teams



Distance Men



Coach Cheaney & Managers



Relay Men



Hurdlers and Sprinters



Shot and Discus

The End



Pen  Pals

Chalk  Chums

Pencil  Partners

Carbon  Corner